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Ballast.—Remedios & Co.

—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

ber, General.—Yung Fat Hong.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

November 23, CHURRUCA, Spanish str., 403,

November 23, Kursang, British steamer, 1,425,

November 23, PHRA CHOM KLAO, British atr.,

November 23, VOEWAERTS, German steamer,

November, General.-Wieles & Co.

November 23, Acriv, Danish str., 268, Reva-

November 23, Ancona, British steamer, 1,873,

Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

November 23, Gilsland, British str., 1,058, D.

November 23, Anjer Head, British str., 1,299,

November 23, FOORSANG, British steamer, 990,

CLEARANCES.

AT THE HARROUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

23nd November.

Hogg, Shanghai 20th November, General

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

-Adamson, Bell & Co.

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Crusader, British str., for Haiphong.

Vortigern, British str., for Bangkok.

Greyhound, British str., for Holhow.

Zafire, British str., for Amoy.

Titan, British str., for Shanghai.

Danube, British str., for Swatew.

Koehler, Shanghai 19th November, Gene-

Juan B. Oginaya, Manila 19th November,

Young, Whampon 23rd November, General

1,012, II. Stratton, Bangkok 19th Novem-

612, J. Bruhn, Sandakan and Kudat 17th-

beck, Haiphong 19th November, General.-

R. G. Murray, Shanghai 19th November.

Egville, Wuhu 19th November, Rice .-

W. Macey, Japan 18th November, General.

November 22, Amoy, British steamer, 814, R.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2418, 1885.

AUCTION

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

PARTICULARS

PROPERTIES.

Victoria, in the Colony of Hougkong,

to be Sold by PUBLIC AUCTION,

TUESDAY,

the lattley of December, 1885, at 2 o'CLOCK P.M.,

at the Premises.

by Mr. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

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THE REMAINING PORTION OF MARINE

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The Property will be Sold in 20 Lets as shewn in the Sale-plan exhibited at the Office of

For Further Particulars and Conditions of

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HONGKONG STEAM LAUNDRY

N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS

of the above Company is hereby called for

TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), the 25th inst., at the Hongkong Horel, at 3 o'clock P.M.,

to decide as to whether the LAUNDRY be

HONGKONG RACES, 1886.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, & FRIDAY

24th, 25th, and 26th February, 1886.

THE HONGKONG DERBY.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 17th November, 1885.

C. EWENS.

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J. M. ABMSTRONG,

Auctioneer.

R. C. HURLEY.

H. J. H. TRIPP.

Clerk of the Course.

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JAPAN!!

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Hongkong, 14th November, 1885.

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Hongkong, 30tic June, 1885.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1872.

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Hongkong, 20th November, 1885.

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variety of new designs in Mouns and Ball Kutsang, British str., for Shanghai. Programmes. Marguerite, French bark, for Whampos." Boxes of Imitation Cards and Envelopes. A splendid display of Photographic Albums DEPARTURES. at very cheap rates. A large variety of Inkstands. Pocket Books November 22, KWANG-LEE, Chinese steamer, for Purses. Ladies' Companions and other use-Shanghai ful Goods. November 23, PRINZ GEORG, German str., for Lett's Diaries; Smith's Diaries. Kate Greenaway's Almanack. Shanghai North China Date Blocks. November 23, GILSLAND, British steamer, for Handsome Ladies' Indoor Shoes. Men's Patent and Calf Shoes. November 23, DANGEE, British str., for Swatow. Men's Elastic Side Boots. November 23, Ashington, British steamer, for W. BREWER, Queen's Road. UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL. Shanghai. November 23, Thiber, British str., for Yoko-ELLY AND WALSH, LIMITED November 23, Amoy, British str., for Whampos. New Designs in Monus and Ball Programmes New Season's Fans in the most Fashionable November 23, ZAFIRO, British str., for Amoy. and Artistic Designs. November 23, Kutsans, British steamer, for Wedding Cake Boxes. Shanghai. English and American Birth-day Cards. November 23, Antenon, British str., for Amoy. Meerschaum and Briar Root Pipes. Colonel Ross' Patent Pipe-very cool and PASSENGERS. esily cleansed. Pocket Folding Scissors—Nail Scissors. Waterlow's Multiplex Copying Apparatus. Per Ancona, str., from Shanghai.—For Hong-Edng.—Messrs. Stanley. Asokmin, Tong Kew A Bolendid lot of Plush Photograph Frames a Cabinet and Carte Sizes. Hing, 2 Koreans, and 27 Chinese. For London. Parkinson's Donesster Butter-Scotch -Miss Anderson, Miss W. Wright, Miss E. New Waltzes, Songs and Dance Music. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bishop, and Mr. Kyle's Collection of Scottish Lyric Gems. J. G. Dunne. Christmas and New Year Cards—the latest Per Amoy, str., from Shanghai.—Mr. Chris-Novelties just received by Mail. Per Phra Chom Klao, str., from Bangkok.-Cabinet and Cartes, in new designs. 62 Chinese. Letts Diaries—all sizes. Per Vorwaerts, str., from Sandakan and Ku-The Ruddy Old Block, 1886, dat .- Mr. and Mrs. Dobson, and 60 Chinese. Per A. jer Head, str., from Japan.—5 Chinese. Block with appropriate quotation for every day. Por Fooksang, str., from Shanghai - Messrs. New Stock of Whatman's Drawing paper... Erie and Davenport, and 136 Chinese. WINSOR AND NEWTON FINE ART GOODS-New Oil and Water Colours, Brushes, Varnishes, Per Malios, str., for Shanghai,-Mr. and Mrs. Canvas in rolls, Stretched Canvas, Palettes, Tonkin, infant and native servant, Mr. and Mrs. Palette Knives, Artist's Pencils, &c., &c. F. M. Esteves, Mr. and Mrs. Bell-Irving and Juvenile Boxes of Water Colours. infant, and Lieut. Mason, U.S.N. KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG TO DEPART. Per Ancona, str., from Hongkong .- For Marseilles.--Mr. E. H. Melbye. For London vià GEORGE CARTER STENT, Deceased. Marseilles. - Dr. and Mrs. Anderson, and Mrs. Geo. Ede. For London.—Mr. Thos. Beattie. ATOTICE is hereby given that all Persons having any CLAIMS upon the Estate of GEORGE CARTER STENT, late of Takow, The British steamer Anjer Head reports left in the Island of Formosa, of the Chinese Im-Japan on the 18th November, and had strong perial Maritime Customs Service, Deceased, who N.E. winds and fair weather. died at Takow aforesaid, on the 1st day of September, 1884, and of whose Personal Estate and The German steamer Vorwaerts reports from Effects Letters of Administration (with the Will Sandakan via Kudat on the 17th Nevember, and annexed) were granted by Her Britannic Mahad strong N.E. monsoon and high sea. jesty's Supreme Court for China and Japan, on the 9th day of November, 1885, to ROBERT The British steamer Amon reports left Shang- ERNEST WAINEWRIGHT, of Shanghai, in hai on the 19th November, and had moderate the Empire of China, Solicitor, are hereby monsoon and fine weather throughout. required to send particulars of their Claims to The British steamer Focksang reports left January, 1886, after which day the said Shanghai on the 20th November, and had moderate monsoon and fine weather throughout. Administrator will proceed to pay over the The British steamer Gilsland reports left thereto, laying regard only to the Claims of thereby saving millions of dollars worth of Wuhu on the 19th November, and had a fine which he shall then have had notice, and the property. passage of 4 days 14 hours from Wuhu and 3 days | said Administrator shall not be answerable for and 6 hours from Woosing, all well, the Assets so paid over, or any part thereof, to any person of whose Claim he shall not then The British steamer Phra Chom Klao reports have had notice. left Bangkok on the 16th Nov., and had mo-AND NOTICE is hereby also given that all derate N.E. winds to Pulo Condore; from thence Persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby to port fresh monsoon and fine, cloudy weather. required to make immediate payment to the said SHANGHAI SHIPPING. Administrator Dated this Tenth day of November, 1885. November --ARRIVALS. R. E. WAINEWRIGHT. 9, Taiwo, British str., from Hankow. 9. W. C. de Vries, British str., from H'kow. 10, Kiangteen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 10, Chefoo, British str., from Swatow. NOTICES OF FIRMS. 10, Kwanglee, Chinese str., from H'kong. 10, Wenchow, British str., from Chefoo. 10, Cito, German str., from Hakodate. NOTICE. 10, Ningpo, British str., from Hougkong. 11, Kutsang, British str., from Hongkong. 11, Kiangkwan, Chinese str., from Hankow. 11, Ichang, British str., from Ningpo/ I., Kungpai, British str., from Swatow. 11, Velox, German str., from Whampon. 11, Victoria, British str., from Nagasaki. 11, Benla ig, British str., from Nagasaki. Hongkong, 2nd November, 1885. 12, Kiangteen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 12, Hiroshima Maru, Jap. str., from Japan. 12, Pekin, British str., from Hankow. 12. Hoihow, British str., from Hongkong. THAVE THIS DAY Commenced Business in Hongkong and China as MERCHANT and 13, Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. 13, Taiwe, British str., from Amoy. COMMISSION AGENT and Mr. ABDOOLA-13, Nanzing, British str., from Foodhow. BHOY ALLARAKHIA has been authorized 13, Pao Hua, British str., from Hankow. to Sign the Firm. 13, Hideyoshi Maru, Jap. etr., from K'notzu. JAFFERBHOY LUDHOBHOY CHUTTOO. November-Hongkong, 19th November, 1885. DEPARTURES. 10, Wuchang, British str., for Tientsin. 10, Tientsin, British str., for Tientsin. NOTICE. 10, Kiang-yung, Chinese str., for Hankow. 10, El Dorado, British str., for Tientsin. FINE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of MB 10. Germania, British str., for Yokohama. YEONG CHIT HUNG in our Firm 10, Kiangteen, Chinese str., for Ningpo. CRASED from the Lith instant. 10. Too-nan, Chinese str., for Chefoo. BUN GUAN LEONG. 11. Yoritomo Maru, Jap. str., for Kuchinetzu-60. Bonham Strand West. 11. Yungning, Chinese str., for Wenchow. Hongkong, 19th November, 1885. 11. Shanghai, British str., for Hankow. 11. Sin Nanzing, British str., for Chefoo. NOTICE is hereby given that on the 3rd 11. Pantah, Chinese str., for Tientsin. day of June last, YEUNG YUK CHI and 11, Hae ship, Chinese str., for Foochow, his Son YEUNG HEE KUM (the latter having 11, China, German str., for Chefoo. 11. Canton, British str., for Wahu. been the Manager) retired from the Business of the HOO TAI LOONG SHOP, No. 50, Prays. 11. Ichang, British str., for Ningpo. 11. Gilsland, British str., for Wuhn. Business to YEUNG MING LAI TONG 11. Askington, British str., for Hongkong. who had been until then Partners or Share ern Out ports for their support during the last and the Philippines. 11, Nagoya Maru, Jap. str., for Nagasaki. 12, Wenchow, British str., for Tientsin. 12. W. C. de Vries, British str., for Hankow.

12. Taiwo, British str., for Hankow.

12, Chefoo, British str., for Tientsin.

, Saghalien, French str., for Hongkong.

, Kiangteen, Chinese str , for Ningpo.

13. Gulf of Snez, British str., for Amoy.

13, Kiang-piau, Chinese str., for Ningpo.

13, Kiang-kwan, Chinese str., for Hankow.

12, Kung-pai, Chinese str., for Newchwang.

, Store Nordiske, Danish str., for a cruise.

日八十月十年一十緒光 BANKS. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK ANE, CRAWFORD & Co CORPORATION, LIMITED. AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000. Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, NEW FENDERS AND FIRE-IRONS.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN BRASS DRAWING-ROOM ASH PANS AND THE COLONIES. THE BANK receives money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection. and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application. CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION PURCHASED ON AGATE WARE COOKING UTENSILS.

> H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 6th July, 1885. T TONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION.

ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

RESERVE FUND RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF) BREWER has just opened DIVIDENDS Reserve Liability of Pro- ? FRIETORS Christmas and New Year Cards of entirely

COURT OF DIRECTORS: Chairman-Hon, F. D. SASSOON. Deputy Chairman-A. McIVER, Esq. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. E. E. Sassoon, Esq. H. Hoppins, Esq. W. H. Forbos, Esq. H. Hoppins, Esq. M. Grote, Esq. C. D. Bottomley, Esq. A. P. McEwen, Esq. Hon. W. Keswick CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq. MANAGER. Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK. Hongkong—Interest Allowed.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and

every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. DEAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
T. JACKSON, Chief M⊱nager. Hongkong, 24th August, 1885.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

NOTICE.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be THE HONGKONG DERBY, a SWEEP conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai | STAKES of \$20 each, half forfeit if On Coals Banking Corporation, on their premises in declared on or before the date of Closing On Petroleum in li-Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 Entries, with \$100 added for 1st Pony and \$50 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at at date of Entry (SATURDAY, 23rd January, Tenements one time will not be received. No depositor 1886), First Pony 70 per cent., Second Pony On Second-class Chinese may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 20 per cent., Third Pony 10 per cent., Weight 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having 10st. 10lbs. ONE-MILE-AND-A-HALE. Nomina-\$100 or more at their credit may at their option. tions Close on SATURDAY, 19th December, transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang- 1885, addressed to the CLERK OF THE COURSE. hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for at the Hongkong Club. 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. By Order.

4.-Interest at the rate of Sh per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with JAPAN! Photograph Albums for Cabinets only or leach payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of The Shakespeare Calendar (An Artistic Date January and beginning of July. 6. Correspondence as to the business of the

Bank if marked On HONGKONG SAYINGS BANK Business is forwarded free by the various IS NOW OPEN British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 8th May, 1885.

INTIMATIONS.

HARDEN "STAR" HAND GRENADE FIRE EXTINGUISHER. THE Undersigned, having just arrived, prepared to fill all Orders for the above GRENADE. It is the Cheapest, Simplest, and at their disposal being limited, and as they have

had a very short time in which to make prepara-FIRE EXTINGUISHER IN THE WORLD. the said Administrator on or before the 1st day having been used in England and America with the greatest success for the past year, Assets of the said Deceased to the parties entitled and having extinguished over 800 Actual Fires

These Grenades are sold at \$16.00 per case of one dozen each, and no Grenades sold less than dozen Lots. Send all orders to

E. CLARK. Hongkong Hotel. Hongkong, 22nd September, 1885. . NOTICE.

Administrator.

Old or New, contracted by the said XEUNG YUK

Creditors and Debtors are also hereby re-

quested to send their contracts to be signed by

YEUNG KING SHAN, or certified by the putting

on the same documents of the Chop of HOO TAI LOONG MING KEE.

YEUNG TEO MAN. YEUNG MAN FUNG, and

CHI or his Son YEUNG HEE KUM.

Houghong, 12th August, 1885.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. CHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if

MR. WILLIAM SISSON HUNTER, sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya late of the Victoria Dispensary, having Central, will receive prompt attention. taken CHARGE of the HONGKONG PHARMACY, In the event of complaints being found the Firm representing the Pharmacy shall in Inconsary, communication with the Undersigned future be under the Style of HUNTER & Co. is requested, when immediate steps will be taken WOODFORD & Co. | to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, 26th August, 1885. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIMITED. -

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1884.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to send in to this Office a List of their Contributions of Premia for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the proportion of Rates. Profit for that year to be paid as Bonus to Contributors may be arranged. Returns not sent in before the 30th November next, will be made up by the Company, and no subsequent claims or alterations will be allowed. By Order of the Directors,

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. Hongkong, 1st October, 1885. NOTICE. Central, and Sold all their own Shares of the FIHE Understoned, in returning thanks to L. the Community of Hongkong and South-

holders. Settlement of Accounts has been made. Season, begs to notify them that she will be The said YEUNG MING LAI Town will not prepared on and after the 1st of November to hold themselves Responsible for any Debts, supply GAME, GAME PIEB, SAUSAGES, BRAWN, ENGLISH PORK FRESH AND PICKLED; CORNED AND FRESH MEAT. Every attention given to careful packing, and

Shanghai, 26th October, 1885.

ABSURANCE COMPANY, the utmost despatch guaranteed in shipment. FIRE AND LIFE at Current Bates. on the usual terms. LAVINIA HOPKINS. Corner of Sze-chuen and Ningpo Roads. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 1st April, 1885.

Hongkong, 27th March, 1882.

INSURANCES. THE PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE INSUR ANCE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA.

THE POLICIES of the Company impose no restriction upon Residence or Travel. VALUABLE LEASEHOLD LOWER RATES and BETTER RETURNS offered than by any other Life Insurance Company BONHAM STRAND and PRAYA CENTRAL, represented in this Colony.

Agent for China and Japan. Hongkong, 8th September, 1885. NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com- will not be recognized. pany, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS on Parcels of GROUND situate at Victoria FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at 1 per Cent. Nett preaforesaid, Registered at the Land Office as Section J of MARINE LOT No. 63, NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 20th May, 1881.

TMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-

PANY.

pectively 9,992 square feet, 3,873 square The Undersigned. Agents for the above feet, and 4.051 square feet. Together with | Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES the Shops or Messuages and Buildings against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any HE Company's Steamship thereon respectively, being No. 187, Queen's one FIRST-CLASS RISK. RATES ON FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS RE-24, 26, and 28, Wing Shing Street, and Nos. 92, 93, 94, 95 and 97, Praya. DUCED to 3 PER CENT. NETT PER ANNUM

FROM THIS DATE. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, 9th May, 1881. THE LONDON ASSURANCE INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST.

A.D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-MARINE DEPARTMENT. Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT. issued for long or short periods at

LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongliong 26th July, 1872.

THENIX FIRE OFFICE The Undersigned are now prepared to 23rd inst. GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at the following Rates:-On First-class European ...at 👌 / Net per Annum. Tenements ... On First-class Godowns.

& Merchandise stored thereinat 1 %. Net per Annum. censed Godownsat 14 %. Net per Annum for 2nd: for all China Ponies bona fide Griffins On First-class Chinese

.....at 2 % Netper Annum, Tenementsat 2½ % Net per Annum. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agents for Phænix Fire Office. Hougkong, 5th August, 1881 NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Corrent Rates.

Hongkong, 1st January 1882. FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG.

WHE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, -are - Prepared to ACCEPT RISKS at Current Rates. _FUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 18th January, 1884

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-HONGRONG.

CAPITAL (Subscribed), \$1,000.000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LUM SIN SANG. Esq. Yow CHONG PENG, Esq. FEW WEEKS ONLY, commencing on the 20th BAN HUP, Esq. CHAN LI CHOY, Esq. Q. HOI CHUNE, Esq. The Company GRANTS POLICIES

MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World payable at any of its Agencies. Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not. WOO LIN YUEN,

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2. Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, at current

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 5th November, 1883. Company, are prepared to GRANT IN-SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-CINGAPORE. COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-SINGAPORE.

-We are prepared to -GRANT-POLICIES against FIRE on usual Terms at Current Rates. All Contributors of Business whether Shareholders or not are entitled to Share in Accumulated Funds 31st Dec., 1884 ... £ 6,466,527 the Box vs. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, July, 1885. Agents in Hongkong for the above Company Q U N F 1 R E O F F 1 C E

are prepared to receive proposals for LIFE ASSURANCE. The Undersigned are prepared from this date Policies will be issued immediately on to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE at the Acceptance of Risks by the Board of Directors Reduced Tariff Rates to the extent of \$50,000 on First-class Risks. LINSTEAD & DAVIS Agents. Sun Fire Office.

Hongkong, 12th May, 1881. TEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY. ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Purely mutual; all profits belong to Policy. holders and apportionments are made annually. STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING

31st December, 1884. Accumulated Funds £12,127,930 Surplus over all liabilities? and Reserve Fundaccord-... £ 2,036,332.° ing to valuation made by the Government...... .. £ 2,846,245. Ideome for year 1884..... C. SETON LINDSAY. Res. Manager,

Department of the East. BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co.,

ESTABLISHED 1805.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

就四十二月一十英春香

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.'S. "CATHERSTONE."

ANTWERP AND BORDEAUX. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from

Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignce's risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned immediately, or they

MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 23rd November, 1885.

[1] NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVI-GATION COMPANY. FROM BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, AND

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of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 28th instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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goods remaining in the Godowns after the 30th of the said Court, at the FIRST MEETING instant, will be subject to rent. O. BACHRACH. Hongkong, 21st November, 1885.

TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "ANTENOR," FROM LIVERPOOL.

CIBIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Court for the said Bankrupts to pass their last Undersigned not later than the 27th inst., examination, of which sitting due notice will be for shipment per steamer "HECTOR." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 20th November, 1885. | 2029 receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors.

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charged into Craft, and/or, landed at the discovery of all their examination. Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be Contributory Dividends are payable to all ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on them, or that have any of their Effects, Lot to and after the 21st inst. Goods undelivered after the 28th instant, whom the Court has appointed on that behalf. will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

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HONGKONG. PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF TAM MOSUN (讀戊申) aliasTAM CHEW SAN (譚推 珊), Deceased.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the Honourable the Chief Justice has, in Virtue of SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Section 3 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870, made an Undersigned not later than the 28th inst., order limiting to the 25th day of November, 1885, as the time for Creditors to send in their CLAIMS against the Estate of TAM MO SUN (潭戊申) alias TAM CHEW SAN (體棋 HII), late of No. 19, Gough Street, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, Trader, who died on the 10th day of July last, at Gough Street aforesaid, intestate, and Letters of Administration of whose personal Estate and Effects were granted by the Supreme Court of Hongkong in its Probate Jurisdiction, on the 23rd day of July last to YAN Mr Ho, the lawful Widow and relict of the said Deceased. AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that all such Claims are to be sent in in writing to the Undersigned prior to the said 25th day of November, 1885, or notice

will not be taken of them. All Persons indebted to the above Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the Undersigned. Dated this 27th day of August, 1885. SHARP, JOHNSON & STOKES

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

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Registrar, on the 2nd day of December, 1885, at 11 O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON precisely at the The said Alfred GASCOYNE WISE, Esquire, is the Official Assignee, and HENRY J. HOLMES the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy. A Public Sitting will be appointed by the given in the Hongkong Guzette. At the said First Mosting of Creditors, the Registrar will

and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects. At the Public Sitting proofs of Debts of ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer Creditors will also be received, and the said Bankrupts will be required to submit themselves Bankrupts will be required to submitthemselves are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis- to be examined, and to make a full disclosure and NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN to all Persons

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medicine." This correspondent adds that His

Excellency Li Hung-chang, while on his re-

here is reason to believe that he will loud

Viceroy's good will in the cause, it is men-

hospital. During the late was he gave the

only class in medicine which has graduated

from the Hospital School at Tientsin went

out last year, and are stationed at important

posts. We trust that the Peking Govern-

ment will prove equally willing to aid in

diffusing a knowledge of Western medical

science, and especially surgery, throughout

the Empire. The lack of a proper Medical

Staff to the Chinese army in Tonquin during

the recent war caused great suffering and

a maimed existence as best they may.

The United States gunbost Alert, from Mok-

pu. Korea, arrived at Shanghai on the 17th in-

the 17th inst. for the south

of the river waiting for pilots.

Our Shanghai morning contemporary says that

Admiral Lespes vacates his command of the

French fleet on the China Station, and Admiral

Riennier takes his place on the 1st December,

he will proceed to France in La Galissonnière.

for the week ending 22nd November, 1885:-

Return of visitors to the City Hall Museum

The Shanghai Courier of the 17th inst. says:

-"Attention has lately been drawn to the im-

off the Shantung Promontery, the lashings got

loose, and some of the bags of rice fell on the

to-release-him.--The-second-mate,-Mr.-Butt,

went to the man's assistance, and extricated him.

Save the N. C. Daily News :- " We have a

authorities are much bewildered by the

magnitude of the proparations of France for

of his full acquaintance with fiscal and com-

tion; Vte. de Bezaure. recently Acting Consul in

Tientsin; Paleologus, e gentleman of the French

cellier of the French Legation. Surely at the

great Congresses of Europe no Minister or High-

Commissioner ever had such a prodigious staff.

The greatness of the preparations seems to have

no good effect, but the contrary. What is it all

The Mercury says that "the steamer Kiang-

side having been stove in by the collision. They

were at once taken on board the Kiangteen.

craft out of the fair-way, but she sank before

this could be done. The unfortunate pigs near-

three of which were saved. Five of the junk's

orew returned to Ningpo in the steamer the

same afternoon. Two remained behind to en-

deavour to get compensation. Pilot Wilson and

accident, and we hear that the third officer has

the third officer were on watch at the time of the

ly all went down with the junk, only four of

but he died a few moments afterwards."

EUROPEAN. CHINESE.

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WATSON, & Co., HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, 13th November, 1885.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS. All letters for publication should be written on ou

side of the paper only. Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued until Hospital." He also supports thirteen young countermanded. Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should After that hour the supply is limited,

addressed "The Editor," and those on business "The Managor," and not to individuals by name. Correspondents are requested to forward their name and address with communications addressed to the

Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good

Hongrova, November 24th, 1885.

Twe banquet given at Singapore on the 10th inst. to the Hon, C. C. SMITH was a satisfactory proof of the cordial approval by the residents there of his administration of the Government of the Straits Settlements for the long term of twenty months. Hongkong residents have no doubt watched with interest-Mr. Smire's career in Singapore. That gentleman commenced his official life as a cadet in the Civil Service in this Colony, and rose gradually until he filled the post of Registrar-General and Acting Colonial Secretary. He was promoted to be Colonial Secretary of the Straits Settlements shortly after on the 14th instant. the assumption of the Government of Hongkong by Sir John Pope Hennessy, who very soon fell foul of the hard working Registrar-General and their differences became irreconcileable. When Mr. SMITH left the Colony for Singapore an address was presented to him signed by most of the community expressing their high appreciation of his services and congratulating him on his promotion. Mr. Smith, after filling the post of Acting he left. Governor of the Straits Settlements during Sir Frenerick Welp's prolonged absence, has been prosmoted again, this time to the post of Colonial Secretary and Lieut.-Gor-Ternor of Caylon. We sincerely congratulate him on his advancement, and hope that he will be as popular in Ceylon as he was in

Hongkong and Singapore. In the course of his remarks when propose 29th, and 30th October last, neatly made up in ing the teast of "The prosperity of the Straits Settlements," Mr. SMITH dwelt upon the importance of keeping the settlements en évidenot. He said there was a great deal to be done in the wav of getting the Settlements to assert themselves and assist themselves. and not look to the Government to do every thing for them. As instances of how little was known of the Colony, Mr. SMITH went on to say: -" A gentleman occupying at one time the high position of Chairman of the London School Board has said once that he Admiral Lespés is at present in Shanghai, havsupposed Singapore was somewhere near the ing come up from La Galissonnière at the Red sea. He advised the publication of facts Buoy. His visit will be very short, and he leaves in his flagship for Hongkong, where he will hand concerning Singapore, and that the Colony over charge to his successor.. From Hongkong should keep itself prominently before the world. The whole of the information h found in a book which recently was published purporting to give the latest reliable in--formation-concerning all questions-of-theglobe was that Malacca was an independent state and that it had a population of 300,000. He advised the Colony to take those means for keeping itself before the world which it had neglected to take in the past. He was aware that an effort had been made by those constituting the Chamber of Commerce to proper stowage of cargo on board some of the galvanise it into action, but there were very coasting steamers. An accident has now occurfew to help them, he was afraid, to accomred that is likely to direct attention to the matter. The Chungking, Captain Shaw, arrived plied this most desirable object or to follow up their efforts. But unless some joint ac. | this morning from Tientsin. On her trip up from Shanghai some of her cargo (rice) was tion was taken in this direction, the Colony stowed in the passages of the Chinese passenger s-saloon and lashed. Bad weather was encountered would never take that position which it was entitled, from its advantages and position and other considerations, to hold." These second compradore, a cook, and the ship's barber. remarks apply in great degree to Hongkong, though it is only fair to say that our Chamber of Commerce is far-more active than the Singapore Chamber, and that its exertions have done something in recent years to make the Colony better known in the United letter from Tientain saying that the Chinese Kingdom. At the same time, public interest at home in distant dependencies is very apt to languish, and we therefore hail with satisfaction the forthcoming Indian and Acting Minister is to be assisted by Monsieur indicated to anyone who watches them attentively. Colonial Erhibition, which will be the mean of bringing them into notice in a more prominent manner than has ever been the case before. Hougkong should be worthily represented in the great show of 1885, and we Vissière, Chinese Sec. Any to the French Legehope that all those who have the power to render assistance in this direction will cordi- Diplomatic Service; and Bon d'Anty. Chan- and is very raw yet. He may, however, make ally co-operate with the Hon. Secretary of the Commission with a view to ensure this

Some months ago, when recording the establishment at Tai-peh Fu, in North Formoss, of a military hospital under the charge | teen, on her trip from Ningpo to Shanghai on of Dr. Luschen, an American surgeon, we advocated the formation of an Army Medical Staff in China, and expressed the hope that officer, Mr. Sutton, immediately lowered a boat and rescued the crew of seven men, who had got the movement in Formosa was a commencement in this direction. There is some ground for thinking this may prove to be them their boat was in a sinking condition, her the case; at least, so we gather from a letter from Peking, dated the 7th instant, The ship's boat then returned to the junk with which appears in our Shanghai morning a hawser for the purpose of towing the sinking contemporary. This writer is anxious to see a branch of the Red Cross Alliance formed in China, and, in the course of his remarks, them swam to the paddle box of the steamer, says :- "There is already an American surgeon stationed at Tai-peh Fu, Formosa, in charge of the Medical Department of the Chinese army of 25,000 men on that island. He came to China from America during the been dismissed.

by him to Tai-peh Fu, where he has the pur- pear at that tribunal has then arranged, but and Thompson have yet to win their laurels as and he had every reason to believe that statehow and under what conditions is not stated. pose in view of organizing, if possible, a medical staff corps for the army and navy.

beds. This surgeon was formerly in the issued U.S.A. army, and is capable and enthusiastic.

partments, with hospitals and foreign sur- obliged to remain in Australia owing to his not geons, at first, who shall instruct classes of having recovered from the illness contracted in

It appears (says the Daily News) that the Chinesenaval authorities are imitating foreigners cent visit to Peking, was presented with a plea in the number of guns fired as salutes. On in behalf of the Red Cross Alliance by the Pro: Monday, the 16th inst., the anniversary of the sident of the Imperial College, and as the birthday of the Empress Regent, two of the Chinese men-of war lying in the river at Shanggreat Vicercy shows great interest in the hai fired salutes of twenty-one guns each, instead spread of a knowledge of Western medicine of the usual three.

Yesterday the gun practice of the Royal Artillery was commenced at the fort on the southhis influence to the project. As proofs of the tioned that he subsidises very largely a hospital in Tientsin known as "The Viceroy's from the battery in the direction of Lantae, the guns used being 64-pounders. The Southern for. Division Battery will have their practice when men who are studying. Western medical the Lancashires have completed their course, science and practice in connection with the and will be followed by the Volunteers and Gun

which to purchase an ambulance and hos. at the forthcoming regatta has taken the names have been posted up at the Recreapital camp, outfit, and stores. The first and tion Club. There are four crews, as follows :

Goodlad (stroke.) Glass (stroke.) Hayllar Tirnstein Thompson G. Grimble (cor.) Wallace (cox.) Thompson (stroke.) Grace (stroke.) Lockhart Kennedy Mastor Hopkins (cox.) Stopani (cox.) The double scalls are drawn as follow :---

King Harman and Koe. Glass and Goodlad. Hayllar and Grimble. materially added to the mortality among the The pair cars will be rowed by most of the same sick and wounded. Now that peace has competitors, viz. :--

KATHLEEN. been restored to China, the Authorities King-Harman and Koe. should set earnestly to work to remedy this f. Grimble and T. Lammert. Glass and Goodlad. serious defect, so that in the event of another There will be no race for the Senior Soulls war unhappily breaking out, the troops may For the Junior Sculls there are no less than not have to go into action with the know- seven entries, viz. -G. Grimble, E. Shepherd, ledge that if they are wounded they will be Cornish, Turner, Goodlad, Edmonds, and Archer. This increased interest in sculling is probably due left to die a lingering death without surgical to the fact that the Clubhas received from Messrs. aid or to struggle back to convalescence and | Searle & Co., of London, three first-class new toothpicks. The old toothpicks gave a member no show who had to pull against another man with a decent private boat. Only Club boats will be used, and therefore three preliminary heats will be The British sloop Wanderer was at Hankow necessitated, which will probably be rowed off the Saturday before the regatta. For the first heat Cornish and Turner will be the competitors, The French gunboat Aspis left Shanghai on for the second Shepherd and Edmonds, and for the third Grimble, Archer, and Goodlad. .

AN APPEAL.

We would direct special attention to the We have to acknowledge receipt of the Customs Gazette for the third quarter of the current following appeal, on behalf of Mrs. Syder, widow of the late captain of the steamer Grey-The Japanese Consul paids visit on board the hound, who has been left unprovided for. Sub. Two other representatives of Ireland-Thomp-Audacious yesterday, and a salute was fired when scription lists lie for signature at the Club son and Pike—are entered for the pairs, but appeared, was greatly projudiced by the continue placing their numerous lamps at the service of Germania, Hongkong Hotel, Victoria Hotel, and Pike is away at present.

The Agents (Messrs. Russell & Co.) inform at Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co.'s:is that the Union Line steamer Stanmore, from We venture to appeal to the community of London, left Singapore for this port on Sunday. Hongkong for assistance for the widow of the Of the seven entries I imagine Goodlad will start late master of the steamer Greyhound, Captain a hot favourite, but some of the men are dark The French ironaled La Galissonnière, flag-Syder, a young man who had but a few months horses to me as scullers—Turner, Edwards, and ship of Admiral Lespes, from Japan, arrived at the Red Broy, Woosung, on Monday, the 16th steamer, had had no time to make provision for his widow, and by his untimely fate she finds. herself left entirely without means beyond the The Japan Mail report of the Autumn Meetprecarious earnings of her own industry. ing of the Nippon Race Club, held on the 28th,

Moreover she is unfortunately in not at all As is now generally known, she was on her When the steamer Pechili left Newchwang on way to join her husband when the terrible the 12th instant, there were twenty-nine sailing tragedy occurred, and her home in England with BEFORE THE HON. SIE GEORGE PHYLLIPPO, vessels in port, and two more were at the entrance an unmarried sister had been broken up for that

Proper steps have been taken by us for her Ho KWAN SUN V. LOUIS OXLEY JUBGENS. It is rumoured (says the Daily News) that the return to England with as little discomfort as Aspic, contrary to previous report, will remain possible and to ensure that she shall not land and Deacon, for the plaintiff; the Attorneyon the coast some months longer, and that the there without friends, but being without father Vipère, now at Hongkong, will change places and mother and having no near relative in a position to extend her a home she has really to start life again upon her arrival. Having waited to satisfy purselves about the

accuracy of the foregoing facts, we ask the help of all who feel sympathy for the poor widow in her desciation. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

Hongkong, 14th November, 1885. LATEST TELEGRAMS

London, 22nd November. THE WAR IN BULGARIA.

Widin is not yet captured, as was previously eported. ____ Sangainary and desperate fighting is going on with varying success on each side. Sofia is

closely threatened. EVENING. THE IRISH LEADER AND THE

GENERAL ELECTIONS.

Mr. Parnell has issued a manifeste urging Irish voters in England, Scotland, and Ireland

not to vote for Liberal or Radical candidates at the approaching general elections. -i. THE FORTHCOMING REGATTA.

The prospects for the forthcoming regatta are thus far as bright as ever they were, and if filed by the plaintiff's solicitor. It was consider-things go on favourably, and wind and weather attachment should be continued, and his Lordprove fair, there should be two days of excellent The two former escaped with slight injuries, but sport, at least so far as the races for members of the barber was buried under the bags, and the Victoria Recreation Club are concerned. Train-chinese who saw the occurrence had not courage ing is going on steadily, and though in the earlier part there was quite a collection of screwed up hacks, nearly all of them have got into condition again, and are deep in the agonies of

For the Chairman's Cup race the five crews picked up are all at work, and some idea of the form making the new commercial Treaty. The French | most of the men will show at the regatta may be Branewarts, an official of high standing brought Of the five crews the first, second, and third affidavits. expressly from New York to China on account boats will, in my opinion, be those stroked by Plancy, recently Acting Consul-General here; heavy for the kind of boat, and Frederichs, a powerfully built and likely looking carsman, does not seem to make much progress in rowing. more rapid progress later on. Goodlad has a crow quite the antithesis of Grace's, all the men being very light, in my opinion

crew are too heavy. Of the three I have selected prefer the crews of Hughes and Glass, and if Kennedy goes on improving in oarsmanship the 14th inst., at 3 a.m., whon about three miles as well as he promises to do, that crew will go to the defendant: from the Inner Light Ship, ran down a junk; the post my favourite. In any case I shall exher cargo consisted of 130 live pigs. The chief pect to see a very good, race between that crew action in attaching all his property. and Hughes's, if nothing goes wrong with them into a small boat beionging to their junk with. in the training. Hugheshas Lockhart, Tirnstoin, all their bolongings. When Mr. Sutton reached and Götz, while Glass has Mills, Kennedy, and fendant was unable to proceed with his defence in Wilford. Thompson has Hayllar, Master, and Qaborne. Glass has a decided advantage in his boat. He had last pick out of the two left. He first tried the Rose, but abandoned her for the Leek, the lightest and most successful best in the Club. She was in a bad condition, but Glass

> has got her up almost as good as new. As to the German Cup, it is to my mind more ed expressly by a new Ordinance to supply a to the value of \$100, the property of a woman the former as High Commissioner to Kores, but open than the above event, and looking at the oraws I do not find a great deal to pick or choose by Every boat has its weak spot-that is on present form, but before the regatts some of ton. Mr. Francis went on to read affidavits getting up she missed her box of valuables, and pointment.

also, and if Frederichs should get into good form ment.

post fit and well.

their crews are not declared.

bow. All but Kennedy are well tried and suc- ment should remain upon the defendant's pro- of their conduct. cessful men. Kennedy is a man of fine physique, perty under these circumstances, as his whole strongth; he is making-considerable progress,

end of the race. For the English Hughes has selected Grace; trial of one or two others before his final selection. Wilford pulled well last year, and seems to be in good form now, and Jackson, if he could pick up a little more style; should be a tower of strength in a boat. Parfitt is a good bow our also, and as there are so many to pick from, i

of a puzzle to me at present, but Glass and Goodother work to do before the race comes on the to leave without disrespect to the Vicercy. advantage should be with the two Irishmen.

There is a large field for the Junior Scallsseven men -and I am glad to see that sculling is reviving again after some years of depression.

TOM BOWLING.

SUPREME COURT. 23rd November.

In Obiginal Judisdiction. CHIEF JUSTICE.

Mr. Francis, instructed by Messrs. Wotton General (Hon. E. L. O'Malley) instructed by Messrs. Dennys and Mossop, for the defendant. Mr. Francis said he had, in the first instance, he would read affidavits which had been filed. ditors. by Mr. F. H. O. Wilson, from the office of offered by the Official Assignee, and the order of Messrs. Wotton and Deacon, which set out that discharge was granted. on the 6th inst. Mr. Pitman, who was concerned. in the case with the plaintiff, had left by mail steamer for Shanghal to assist the plaintiff in the business which was now detaining him, and preventing him from coming to this colony to proceed with this case. On the 14th instant he received a letter from Mr. Pitman informing him that it was impossible the business in hand could be settled in time to enable the plaintiff to be in attendance at the hearing of this case. Mr. Francis proceeded to recapitulate various of the measures which had been adopted since proceedings were first taken in this suit-how, in consequence of the postponement of the snit, the defendant had been allowed by the plaintiff to take some 13 Chinese Government Bonds, part of the property attached, and to use them his maintenance, to meet pressing claims, and to meet the expenses of defending himself against this suit. The delay in bringing on the suit was caused in the first instance by the defendant not filing an answer to the plaintiff's petition for a considerable time.

His Lordship said this affidavit had been already made use of in Chambers in support of an application for adjournment, having been ship had expressed the view that if any further adjournment was applied for after the date then fixed, the writ of foreign attachment should be withdrawn, whereupon Mr. Wilson said he would bring on the case at once, and asked to have it adjourned from that day (last Thursday) until

Mr. Francissaidhe must take the responsibility upon himself of applying in a further adjournment, as it was impossible that the plaintiff's case could be proceeded with under the existing

circumstances. His Lordship said the application of last Thursday had been made and disposed of in Chambers

Mr. Francis said the applications he had read mercial affairs. Besides this gentleman there Glass, Hughes, and Thompson. Of the others | were intended to draw attention to what had tranare on the Treaty Commission Mesers. Collin de Grace has a heavy crew, probably somewhat too spired in the case in the past, and to show that the defendant himself had been the original cause of the delay in bringing the suit forward. His Lordship-I do not think the defendant has caused any delay in the suit beyond what he has been obliged to. The defendant, it was true, was in default in filing his answer on the 19th September, but there was reason for that, as he had absolutely no means for defending himself. Subsequently Mr. Wilson allowed him to much too light for the class of boat as Grace's have some Chinese Government Bonds from the property attached, and legal assistance was obtained for the filing of the answer to the

> Mr. Francis-That was the misfortune o His Lordship—It was through the plaintiff's

Mr. Francis said it was his action in the pursuit of a right, and if the defendant suffered it was his own fault, not the plaintiff's. The detime, and the plaintiff was called away, and had not been back since. The writ was issued on the Stir-July and the answer was not filed | 21st instant. until the 22nd September. His Lordship—The writ was issued under circumstances totally different from what was

want felt in the old Ordinance, to make clear the named Lin Amui, on the 14th inst. power of seigure of property of a person temporarily absent from the colony, as defendant floor of No. 29, Praya Central, was awakened at the Chinese to fire into the palace at Boul, for was when this writ was issued in Macao or Can- 2 a.m. on the 14th by a noise in her room, and which act he was rewarded with the present ap-

contemplated by the Legislature.

I last regatta, but he seems hardly in such good that this Ho Shun Kai was a necessary and im- knew nothing of the matter. The second ad- the post again, but he declined with thanks. The Treaty Consuls at Shanghai, at a meeting form this year, and his stroke seems a trifle ir- portant witness in the case, and it would not be mitted his guilt. held on the 16th inst., decided to withdraw the regular. Dr. Thompson pulls a strong oar, but safe for the plaintiff's case to go for trial with-The General of the Chinese army is building legitimation certificates issued a couple of months has some faults that require looking to, especially out him. On Saturday afternoon he received a the other two were discharged. a hospital which he calls the 'General Hospital which he calls the 'General Hospital for Formosa,' with a capacity of 150 (says the Courier) the Consuls are now justified stead of to his chest at the end of the stroke. n taking this course, why were certificates ever Hughesseems to have as good acrew as any, with and he had every reason to believe the statement Lookhart, Tirnstoin, and Thompson, but I can was true. On the 22nd inst., also, Mr. Wilson

> and of these the three strokes I selected for the The writ of summons was issued on the 8th when the weather was again fine and the ses butter. It is the old. old question. Is China Chairman's Cup have again the crews which take | May last, and a writ of foreign attachment upon | smooth. my fancy-Hughes, Glass, and Thompson. the defendant's property in Hongkong was issued On Wednesday afternoon, the 15th inst., as

still more grievously. it would probably be as well if Hughes made a attachment against the whole of the defendant's had not sufficient hose. The operations of the property within the jurisdiction of the court, Fire Department were confined to preventing not against a part of it. The claim of the plain- the spread of the flames, which thus did not tiff was only from \$6,000, to \$7,000, and the de- extend outside the block. All that now refendant had stated that property of his had been mains of the buildings are the outside walls. attached of the value of \$200,000. If that was The engines commenced to leave at about so, he could surely obtain security for the amount 3 a.m. the last being the Hon-kew engine at would be as well to make trials of more than one claimed, and he would then get the release of his 3.30. The fire is said to have originated in an property from the attachment. He should be empty house which had been vicated the day be-The pair cars and double sculls are somewhat content that a commission should be sent to Nankin to take the plaintiff's evidence. It was lad's form are well known, and I have seen King- probably not so much a case of important inter-Harman and Koe out. Those are the two couples ests involved to Mr. Ho Kwan Suc that kept I most fancy for either event up to the present, him in Nankin as it was the command of the and as Glass and Goodlad will have had a lot of Viceroy. It was probable he would be unable it difficult to ascertain to which engine the dif-

His Lordship said if that was the case it was a question who was to suffer; Mr. Jurgens, it attend fires might make themselves useful by locked up the whole of his property. Mr. Francis again alluded to the value Mr. Jurgens had given of the property which had been attached, and asked if there was any diffioulty in the way of his finding security. His Lordship said on the other hand they had

had the defendant applying to sue in forma pauperis. He thought be should be unable to grant the adjournment applied for unless Mry Francis. abandoned the writ of foreign attachment. Mr. Francis again endeavoured to have the case adjourned on the previous basis, but ultimately the order of adjournment sine die was given at midday Broadway is always criwded, and con- On CALCUTTA.ment was abandoned.

The Attorney-General applied for the costs day, and the application was granted.

IN BANKRUPTCY. BEFORE MR. JUSTICE ACKROYD

IN RE KWOK YIN SHU. Mr. Mossop appeared for the debtor, who now came up to apply for his discharge, having passto apply for an adjournment of the case, in ed his last examination. Messrs. Wotton, Caldsupport of which, with his Lordship's permission, well, and Ewens represented various of the cre-He read first an affidavit which had been filed No opposition to the bankrupt's discharge was

POLICE COURT. 23rd November.

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE. Ishizaka, a Japanese seaman, was charged wit having attempted to commit suicide on the 19th

The defendant was lodging at the boarding house of Alli Moosdeen, in Upper Lascar Row. He seemed to have lately become somewhat deranged in his mind, for at 4 a.m. on the 19th he rushed upstairs to his landlord and said that two men were wanting to murder him. Moosdeen went lown, but the defendant would not allow him to open the door, as he said the men would come up and murder him. Witness afterwards went down, and found everybody below asleep. Later on in the morning Moosdeen found the man with his throat out and bleeding, and a knife in his hand.

The defendant said he was quite mad at the The case was remanded to to-morrow, and was referred to the Japanese Consul.

DRUNKENNESS. Henry Briggs, seaman of the steamer Glenfruin, pleaded guilty to having been drunk and disorderly in the International Hotel on the 21st instant, and he was fined half a dollar.

Lui Akwong, unemployed, was charged with stealing a bangle, value 50 cents, from the person of a child, named He Akoi. on the 22nd inst. A man named Ho Loi Ho was carrying a child on his arm in Wellington-street on Sunday, when the prisoner matched the bangle from its arm and ran off with it. He was caught by a hawker, named Tsau Ashing...

Sentenced to six weeks' hard labour. Li Asu, cook, was charged with stenling clothing to the value of 3.50, the property of one Kwok Aleung, on the 14th instant, and also will stealing a seal some letters, pawn tickets, and passage tickets, the property of Wong Kim, on

the 21st instant. Kwok Aleung is butler to Mr. Remedies, at H.E. Yuen goes to Korea to relieve H.E. Chun. Caine-road, and he said the prisoner called to see a fo-ki of his. who was out, and the risoner said he would sit down to await him. and go to the theatre with him. He was left there alone, and soon afterwards he was found to have disappeared with some of complainant's clothing. On the 21st the prisoner paid a visit to the Yau We bearding house in Wing Singstreet and when he had rone the articles mentioned in the second charge were missed. formation was given to the police, and P. Wan Tai Loi arrested the prisoner in Queen's-

road, finding the seal and two of the pawn tickets upon his person. Sentenced to three months' hard labour for each offence.

BEFORE Mr. E. MACKEAN. RETURNING FROM BANISHMENT.

Chan Apo, unemployed, was charged with re He admitted the charge, and was sentenced to twelve months' hard labour.

LARCENT FROM A HOUSE Cheng Ayan, fishmonger, Su Awing, hawker, good for the training of the new crews. Mr. Francis thought that the provision under and Cheung Aping, fishmonger, were charged with which the writ had been issued had been provide stealing a box containing clothing and jewellery in the Chinese man-of-war Hei-ding for Soul

those weak spots may be converted into towers filed by R. C. Broadbarst, mariner, and found the deep open. She went out and oried

difference between the British Assessor and the are in good trim now, and Hughes will doubtless, was in Canton on Saturday, and that on inquiry heard a noise in the next house to complainant's, Navy Department in place of Wu Ta-ching, who Legation at Washington. He reported himsolf at Canton to the Viceroy, and was sent

| Chinese Magistrate of the Mixed Court at get rid of his superfluons adjusted to come to Hougkong, and unable to come to Hougkong, and unable to come to Hougkong, and the missing hox under the bed.

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The second defendant was committed for trial,

SHANGHAI.

The steamers which arrived on the 16th inst. hardly say I have a favourite for this race as yet. deposed, he received a telegram from Mr. Pit- from the South experienced very bad weather. Mr. W. G. McArthur, late chief officer of the Glass has one cripple in his crew, Lammert have man stating that Ho Kwan Sun was detained The Chiquen reports:—Left Swatow on the wishing him bon coyage and a speedy return. E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tannadice, has been laid up first with fever, and then with on important business by H. E. the Viceroy of morning of the 11th instant and had moderate Gotz to assist him. He has a lot of licking into stronger in support of his opposition than a re- moderated. Proceeded on the morning of the up their little finger and hundreds are ready to capitalation of all that had taken place in con- 13th, with high sea and strong breeze which rush into their presence. The American Cup Habe has also five boats, nection with this suit since its commencent, gradually moderated till Tong-ting was passed, Affairs in Korea don't seem to be all bread and

Hugheshas Tirnstein, Gotz, and Parfitt; Glass | immediately after, although the defendant was three foreigners were out gunning on the Yang. Mills, Lammert, and Osborne; and Thompson- merely temporarily in Canton, and might easily taze poo Road, one of them shot a tame fowl. Lockhart, Kennedy, and Master. Of Glass's have been served there on the 7th June, the The villagers thereupon claimed compensation, east point of sunsources research by the Lance of the Wilder will defendent applied to have the suit dismissed.

The firing exercise gone through crew Lammert is as yet screwed up, and the will defendent applied to have the suit dismissed.

Which, after considerable bargaining, was fixed at left which, after considerable bargaining, was fixed at left wild remove that are now affect, establing the wild remove that are now affect to have a full course of training, and thus far affect the left that the wild remove that are now affect to have a full course of training, and thus far affect the left that the wild remove the suit defendent applied to have the suit dismissed.

After some affidavits had been filed, and under left the wild remove that are now affect to have a full course of the Russian designs on Korea, and thus far affect the left that the wild remove the suit defendent applied to have the suit defendent applied t Hughes's crew is the one I have the most fancy the pressure of that application, a petition was reputed owner of the bird. The foreigners then which, after all, have turned out to be worth no filed on the 9th July. That petition found the went into the Paper Mills, and, for some un more than the paper they were written on.-The Members Cup was drawn for on Satur. defendant in the position of a suit against him, explained cause, the villagers followed them, but Mercury Correspondent. day, and out of the four crews I feel a decided all his property attached, and himself left with the manager of the Mills expelled them with a preference for Glass's-Jackson, Tirnstein, and no means whatever for defending himself. The stick. After a time, two of the foreigners started Wilford; and Thompson's Mills, Kennedy, and defendant was ultimately allowed to have some of to return to Shanghai, but they had no sooner Götz. It should be a fine race between the two his property which had been attached released, to get outside the Will compound, than one of Communications on Editorial matters should be foreign physician in charge Tls. 2,000 with The drawing of crows for the Members' Cup orows, and, accidents apart, I shall expect to see provide him with the means, and an answer to them was attacked by the villagers. He de-Glass's crew carry off the cup if they go to the the petition was filed without delay, on the 22nd fended himself as best he could, when arrival of the Marquis Taeng from England. September. 'The plaintiff left after the answer the other foreigner went to his assistance. When he comes, "something" will be done; Concerning the Chinese Cup Race I am in the bad been filed, on the 2nd October. From that whereupon the crowd left the first man and but what that something will be I do not care dark as though three strokes have entered crews | time to the present there had been nothing but assaulted the other, knocking him down, kicking to predict. Blessed are they who expect nothus far-Glass, Enghes, and Lieut. Hickley, applications for adjournment from the plaintiff, him, and striking him with bamboos. They also thing, for they will probably get it. There is and efforts to bring the case on by the defendant, stele his watch and chain, hat, and scarf, and agitation against the too great power of Li. For the International Race I have not as yet and the Attorney-General gave in detail every tore his clothes. He managed to get up, how- which appears to both the German Minister seen anything of the German crew, doubtless on proceeding that had been taken on either side. ever, and ran to a jinricksha, which took him and the Inspector General of Customs to account of the indisposition of Lammert, who is He remarked that the affidavit which had been away. While, escaping from the villagers he need curtailment. The Yamen, I dare swear, to stroke them. The Irish crew are training filed still left it an open question when Ho Kwan says he was stopped by two of them. who for is of the same opinion, and by no means more together than any of the others up to the Shan would arrive in Hongkong and be able to cibly detained the jinricksha; but on two other averse to being stirred up about it; while present, as they go out every morning, and proceed with the suit, and no definite statement foreigners appearing on the scene, they let him there is at least one personage here who is several evenings of the week. At first King. or undertaking of any kind whatever was made. 190, and were given in charge to a native police anxious that the Foreign Office in the Capital Harman stroked them, but latterly he has The plaintiff had found it necessary to leave the man who just then appeared. The foreigner who should not have a Tients a branch. The change changed places with Thompson at No. 3, and colony soon after the answer had been filed to his had been maltreated was sent to the Municipal, will probably come later, but the fact is that the the latter has stroked. The other two are petition and Mr. Pitman had also found it neces doctor, who examined his injuries, while the Yamen has no confidence in itself apart from Li. Lieuts. Koe and de Robeck. The Scotch crew are sary to leave since then: It would be a case of police sent down detectives to ascertain who were If Li's ship ever does go down, the rock on which

> houses were burning. The engines were soon move in Korea was a mistake, and the series of Mr. Francis pointed out that as the law stood on the spot some delay was caused in getting the, her acts over since have been repetitions of the rather too heavy, and wants bringing down, and the plaintiff could only issue a writ of foreign water to the fire, as some of the Fire Companies same error.—N. C. Da'ly News Correspondent. fore and was being fitted up-for v new occupant the carpenters employed on the work having left at 5 p.m. on Monday. Owing to the gas lamps having been put out in the all gray where most of the hose was laid, some of the fremen found ferent hose belonged. Under similar circum | On London. stances, the members of the native guilds who not much use, as they simply stand about as near as they can to the fire and look on. During the fire some of the hose burst, but in one case this appears to have been the fault of those who had charge of it, as they allowed a kink to get in it. Another serious accident occurred in Broad. way soon after midday on the 18th instant. It appears that a pony and trap belonging to Mr. Barnes Dallas was standing outside the Old Dock, and while the mafoo was, according to his On BOMBAY.

own statement, attempting to get into the trap, his foot slipped and the pony bolted. Of course, siderable risks were run by people on their way Talegraphic Transfer home to tiffin. Just as the rounway pony was passing Cheap Jack's, two foreigners, Dr. Burg and Mr. Bollard, were returning home in jinrickshas. The pony passed between them, one shaft of the trap striking Mr. Bollard in the chest and knocking him down with such force that his skull was fractured, besides being lacerated. Dr. Burge was caught by the other shaft, but he was not hurt, though the sleeve of his ulster was ripped up. As soon as he recovered himself. he had Mr. Bollard taken to Messra. Mactavish & Lehmann's Dispensary near the Garden bridge, where he attended to him, and as soon as possible afterwards had him conveyed to the General its course, till a plucky sailor named William ... share. up behind the trap and then made his away out on to the pony's back to grasp the reins which On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 148 were dangling on the ground. He succeeded in stopping the runsway, and deserves great credit. for had the animal continued its mad career there might have done while crossing the Gurden bridge. Police Station, where Mr. Dallas thanked him

dollars.—Daily News. CHEFOO.

On the 4th instant a heavy north-east gale was experienced at Chefoo. It commenced at 2's.m. and lasted till 3 p.m. on the same day. Part of the Customs jetty was damaged. The steamer Feilung, with a large number of passengers on board from Chefoo and bound to Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-State Swatow, was caught in the gale, but we have not learnt what damage she sustained. The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s steamer Kwongsing arrived at Chefoo on the 7th instant. There were then in port a Russian gunboat, and the Amigo, Vladivostock, Welle, Tekle, Arab, and Willie.-N. C. Daily News.

TIENTSIN.

9th November. The German Consul, Mr. Pelldram, leaves here for Canton to take charge of the Consulate. The steamer Huntingdon left this evening for your place; it is said with the crews of the three men of war brought out from Germany. Report | Belanger Tin Mining Company-\$10 per share.

The French Minister and suite leave Peking and will stay here during the winter; this has necessitated the French Consul taking quarters outside the Consulate. Mr. Dillon has been raised to the rank of Consul-General of France He is assisting the Minister.

Chen Chu Ting, High Commissioner for Korea, has received three months' sick leave. On the arrival of the Marques Tseng, H. E. Prince Chun will come here on a tour of in-

Yesterday the Customs Taotai. Messra. Polldram and Detring returned from Taku, where they had been about taking over the three menof-war built in Germany. It is not definitely fixed when H.E. Li Hung-chang will inspect them and the whole Northern Squadron (these are anchored inside and outside Taku) although Centuur German bark, 468 tons, Mantung to Sinvesterday was the day fixed by him. By the gapore, and back to Hongkong, \$2,800 in full, 50 lay Hae on arrived Li Hung-chang's eldest son, who days. so successfully passed his examination at Nan-

12th November. The Chinese officials have just found out that they have bought birds but have no cages to put them in. They have brought three men-of-war flately from Germany, but they draw too much water to allow them to enter the harbour of Port turning from banishment, at Yaumati, on the Arthur. A German gentleman, just arrived, went there to commence building a dock for them but it certainly will be of no use for the three ships just arrived, so I hear they will have to go to Amoy; taking them there and back will be Their Excellencies Yeen and Chen have left

the latter will return on a well earned holiday. The complaimant, who lives on the second | Yuen is the man who in December last ordered

His Excellency Li Fong-pao has been appointed

We note by the Shanghai papers that the of strength. Of the strokes Goodlad and Glass by Mr. Wilson. The former deposed that he thief, and a district watchman came up. He by In Hung-chang as Assistant to the Northern strokes. The former pulled a good car as No. ment was true. Mr. Wilson's affidavit set out in the house; they were asleep at the time, and 1880; as High Commissioner. He was offered A gentleman, who has just returned from your port, had two interviews with His Excollency Li Hung chang. He bade farewell to this place, it is said, for the winter, bound to the borders of Tonquin. on behalf, it is rumoured, of Li, in connection with telegraph lines, or something. Others believe he has entered Li's omploy. He left us by the Haiting, his friends Our local hotel, the Globe, is said to be filled the division of China into great medical deappointed to the command of that vessel during a badly out hand. He will probably soon be Nankin. The application was not made for the N.E. breezes and fine, clear weather. Passed the with gentlemen from your port, who have lately the indisposition of Captain Craig, who was at work again, and as he will not want a purpose of unnecessary delay. Mr. Francis said Lido bound to Swatow and the Feilung also for arrived; all are armed with plans, drawings, and great deal of training to get into condition the that under these circumstances he could not Swatow off Thunder Head. The wind by this what not, of the latest improvement in railroads, orew should still be a promising one. Hayllar safely proceed with the plaintiff's case then, and time was gradually increasing. At midnight &c., &c., ready to lay before the great Li Hungand Thompson have good crews behind them he thought he was fairly entitled to an adjourn- there was a strong breeze, which increased to a chang. It is said they are prepared to do it. gale from N.N.E. at 5 a.m. on the following day. cheaper than the old hands who have been so by the regatts, and pull his weight, Goodlad The Attorney-General opposed the application, In consequence of this, we had to run for shelter long in the field. What an envious position Li should about pull the cup off, with Wilford and and said he thought he could advance nothing to Lie Li Bay, where we anchored till the gale and Mr. Detring hold! They have only to hold.

> The reports from the Touquin frontier which reach us here den't seem to be very encouraging; but it is to be hoped that 1886 will bring us read peace, and that the cold of this winter will freeze

Matters here are in statu quo, pending the

Glass (stroke) Lockhart 3, Kennedy 2, and Goodlad | most grievous hardship that the writ of attach- concerned in the assault and what was the cause | it will split is Korea. He has been the prime At half-an-hour past midnight on the 18th out over there. The Chinese cannot remain in and looks pretty tough, but he is as yet a griffin, property was seized and his business was com- inst. fire was discovered in a row of buildings | Korea without an armed force to protect them: and does not know how to make the most of his pletely paralysed. He thought no substantial at the back of Tiendong Road and adjoining the they deren't do it. And the Government cangrounds had been offered in support of the ap. Woosung Railway Road, though the fire-bells not keep an armed force in Seoul, being preplication. The defendant had already suffered did not ring till twenty-five minutes afterwards. vented by the Japanese Treaty. What will be crew somewhere near the front this year at the very great hardship from the delay in this suit, The flames rapidly gathered headway, and in a the upshot? A fresh disturbance with Japan. and if it were further postponed he would suffer remarkably short time no less than fourteen and perhaps with another Power. China's first

> COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. MONDAY, 23rd November. OPIUM.

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per cent. premium.

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per share. . Canton Insurance Office, Limited-\$80 per is no telling what further serious damage it Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-The sailor then took his capture to the Hongkew | China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$76 for his services and made him a present of five Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's Shares 68 per cent. prem Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steambost Co.'s Shares - \$56 per share premium. Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-5 per cent. discount. Thina and Manila Steamship Company, Limited

-30 per cent. discount, nominal. Douglas. Steamship Company. Limited-\$48 Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$155 per Jhina Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$82 Thins Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)-

huson Sugar Refining Company, Limited- 78 Hongkong Ice Company's Shares--\$165 per Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited

1 per cent premium nominal.

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Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 percent premium. CHARTERS EFFECTED.

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Fenang, and Calcutta, \$3,500 in full. Clara-German steamer, 674 tone, monthly charter, Jeponess-British-steamer, 1,201 tons, monthly charter, 6/9 months, \$4,000 per month.

HONGKONG TIDE TABLE. Zizn to 30th November, 1986 BROH WATER, LOW WATER. Hongkong Mean Time. Haight. 9 25 a m 9 30 m 2 15 The height of mean equilered has been determined at 7,549 footabove sem of the tide-gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard; and the Low-water Ordinary Spring-Tides, to which datum the heights in these Tables are referred, as 5.596 feet above The heights in the Tables marked with a minus (-) size are below Low-Water Ordinary Spring Tides, and should be subtreated from the constants given above. CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICA REGISTER. 22nd November, 1885, at 4 r.u.

20.95 30.10 30.13 30.33 30.22 30.19 Haiphong Hongkong Amoy Shanghai Nugataki 80.20 30.31 30_36 80,17 64 The Barometer is beginning to full, and gradiente have slightly increased. The temperature and humidity are mo-

W. DOBERCK. METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

On date | On date at 10 a.m. at 4 p.m. Barometer 30.13 73 Cemperature

Force of wind

1. -BAROMETER reduced to 83 degrees Fabrenheit and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.

5.—TENDERATURE in the shade in degrees Fabrenheit.

9.—HURIDITY in percentage of saturation, the hundrity of saturation with moisture being 100. 4.-Direction of the Wind to two points.

5.-Force of the Wind according to Beautort Scale.

6.-State of the Whather: H. bluesky; C. detached

edmids; D. drizeling ram; F. fog; G. gloomy; H. hail; L. lightning; O. overcast; P. passing showers; Q. squally R. rain; S. sanow; T. thunder; V. visibility; W. dew (gret). 7,-Rank in inches, tenths and hundredths.

W. DOBERCK: Hongkone Observatory, 23rd November, 1885

NEWS FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, 16th November.

The Emperor of Germany is suffering from a Bevere cold The Servian troops have captured Zaribrod. Prince Alexander has asked the Sultan for as- of their own way, and we hope that the swift

-war by the British forces.

The Pope advises Germany to recognise the sovereignty of Spain over the Caroline Islands. . The Porte refuses to assist-Prince Alexander against the Servian invasion. LONDON, 18th November,

London, 17th November.

wounded, and prisoners. The Servians are rapidly approaching Sofia,

LONDON, 19th November. Mr. Gladstone has expressed his approval of affairs in Bulgaria.

The Servian troops have been defeated at domir have been captured by the Servians. The Burmese resistance is feeble, and the British troops have captured Minhla. The Royal Proclamation dissolving Par-

liament has been issued. LONDON, 20th November. Prince Alexander of Bulgaria has tendered submission to the Porteand withdrawn the Bulga-

YACHT RACE FOR THE DOUGLAS

rian troops from Eastern Roumelia.

CHALLENGE CUP. The ocean rade for the Douglay Challenge Cup was sailed on Friday, the 20th inst. The three competing yachts left here on Thursday morning and rendezvoused in Castle Peak Bay, theowners and friends going up late on Thursday night b steam launch. There was a fresh breeze blowing from the northward when the hands turned out in the early morning, and no time was lost in getting mainsails up. Seeing the strong squalls coming down, the skippers thought it prudent to content themselves with jib-headed topsails, andracing flags having been run up, head sails were set and the three boats got together for the start. All being fairly in line the signal was given to go at about 6.30 and jib-topsails were set by all for the reach to the White Rock, but as the yachts opened out the river the wind was found to be fresher, and although they hung on to them for a bit the spar-breakers had to be taken in and plain sail was all that could be well carried. Naomi soon took first place, Ariel close up, and Kathleen hunting her smartly, but Naomi's greater power and length began to tell in the breeze and she launched away fast to the front. All set spinnakers for the run down wind to the Macao mark, Ariel sailing very well but gradually dropping away from Naomi, Kathleen

in turn being left by Ariel. It was a gybe round the Macao flag-boat, and the wind having so far kept pretty true, Nsomi locked all over the winner, having a lead of Ariel of eighteen minutes. The mark was rounded :-

ebb tide now running strong, and the wisdom of cross tacks as Kathleen weathered her.

Working up to the White Rock, the yachts 33 runs each. found the wind getting lighter, and all three sent down their thimble-headers and set big club after the poor show all, except Leach and Grim- below the Theatre has been acted upon, and it has been topsails, and this suiting Ariel much better than | ble, had made in their first attempt, there was transferred from the East to the West side and conit did Naomi she began to draw into a better little inclination to back them. position. The wind fell still lighter the nearer they got to the weather mark, and both the they might emulate their commencement against leaders set spinnakers on bowsprit so as to make The Buffs in October, but the latter was again unthe most of it. Naomi was the first to tack for fortunate, and was stumped by the ball bounding they have hitherto had the use of the Music Room the Rock. Ariel following suit some termination of the stumped by the ball bounding they have hitherto had the use of the Music Room the Rock. Ariel following suit some termination of the stumped by the ball bounding they have hitherto had the use of the Music Room the Rock. the Rock, Ariel following suit some ten minutes from the wicket keeper's pads. (I for 5). Grimlater, and when they rounded the second time | ble succeeded and was bowled the next ball, and Ariel had wiped off seven minutes, so that Bramwell (allowed to play instead of Parkin by there was still a good chance of her saving the courtesy of the Navy) who followed, though her time if the wind held light. Kathleen he played a few overs in most careful style, made a sad mess of it in beating up, and finally fell to the destructive left-hander, when going to leeward of Sawchan Island got into the 10 had been added to the score. (3 for 15). full sweet of the ebb tide with very little wind. Leach meanwhile had been batting in his best and did not get round the Book until nearly 5 form, and on Darby's arrival a great change o'clock. As the two leading yachts got abreast came over the game, both men playing well and o'clock. As the two leading yachts got abreast came over the game, both men playing well and of the Times as suggested at the last annual meeting of Lintin the wind came out a little stronger taking no liberties. Leach was well caught by was fully considered and discussed by the Committee. and Naomi began to draw away a triffs from Captain Pearson off a hard cut from a no-ball. Ariel, but the little one was looking very dan- amidst much enthusiasm, the spectators not gerous and bowling along merrily after her big hearing the No-Ball called, but be then continued the Hougkong Club Library is being rearranged the rival. Half way down the course to the Macao his innings until 50 appeared on the board, when mark Naomi's weather topmast rigging parted he was attacked by cramp, and though he had a in the nip of the cross-trees, and her helm had substitute to run for him, the vigour seemed after having been road by the Club members. The to be put down sharply to save the stick. to go out of his play, and he was shortly after-Fortunately it did not go over the side, but it | wards caught at slip for 32. . (4 for 57). was a "near squeak," and her bowsprit spinnaker | The voteran Darby continued to play in capibeing got in and topsail lowered into the main- tal form, but was finally caught by the wicket sail, her new set about repairing the damage. keeper at short mid on, off a high mis-hit. (6 They first sent a homp rope aloft and tried for 72). that but after setting the topsail they found the | Fees was given out leg-before from a ball

the hemp, and after a delay of some almost directly (8 and 9 for 97), and the last men all the result either of gifts or loans, and the condition of the Museum must, while this is the case, desert, and Nuomi was once more a taunte. During this time she was not kept on her and fielding was enthusiastically cheered by the During the straight for the missed for 15. Stokes followed and played on ties have to be contended against. The contents are almost directly (8 and 9 for 97), and the last men all the result either of gifts or loans, and the condition of the Museum must, while this is the case, determined. Committee, I have pleasure in stating that a point was great, and every piece of play pond very much on the interest taken in it by the relief party left Canton this morning for the During that for the American straight for the Kwangtung Inundation Relief Fund to the Kwang course straight for the mark but was luffed partisans of each side. out and her way considerably stopped, in order | Scanlan played up well, hitting a four and better to have sailed her right on to the mark and 110 on the board. 8 to win, and 7 to tie.

closed up hand over hand, until she got within from Plumbe, and thus won the match by easy hailing distance. Even after Naomi got runs about 5 minutes before "time." fairly going again the little boat held her own, The victory was mainly due to Dawson fo and as the wind again fell lighter she came right his excellent bowling (13 wickets in all for 93 very near and as the two yachts raced for it, it all round, and by the batting of Christian, D. became evident that the gybing round it would Robeck, and Captain Pearson. be a very close thing. No prettier sight to a The Club virtually lost through the number yacutsman or an artist could be conceived of byes made off the fast howling, and a long-

than the picture presented by the two boats as ston for Travers and Barff is much wanted. they came along almost side by side; the bright There was a large attendance of spectators moon in the fleecy clouds overhead the sparkling, throughout the muste, and the music of the rippling water, the white bellying sails of the united Bands of the Agamemnon and Audacious yachts, the red and green lights of the mark- was much enjoyed. boat and steam launch, and the flashing light from the Macao Lighthouse combined to make most charming scene. Naomi was to windward, but Ariel was now so

close that Mr. Forbes carefully kept enough away from the mark to prevent crowding her, and the two boats' main-sails went over starboard simultaneously. Ariel very smartly got her spinnaker sheet over, and that sail filling first drew her along at a good pace so that she fairly cut Naomi out and rounded four seconds ahead. Naomi was luffed sharp round the mark but Ariel held her reach still keeping spinnaker on bewsprit, but Naomi coming up on her weather and passing her the sail was taken in and she was hauled up to about N.E. by E., Naomi doing about the same. The wind heading them, both tacked, Ariel gradually working to windward, but the breeze finally died | Travors....... away until it became very light, and Ariel set her bowsprit spinnaker. A light air now sprung Darby up from about E.S.E., and this put Naomi to Travers. windward again, and both boats tacked several times until nearing the Brothers they were close Darby ...
together. Naomi a trifle to windward. Grimble together, Naomi a trifle to windward. As they stood in for Castle Peak Bay it became clear that it would be impossible for Naomi to save her time, although she might probably Hongkong Observatory, 23rd November, 1885. keep her lead to the finish and get in first, but Ariel either got a freer puff of light wind which did not reach Naomi, or the latter was perhaps nipped up a little too fine, which checked her A to C. Scanlin, c. Pearson, t speed, for the little boat fairly ramped away, and

when she went about for the mark, passed two hundred yards to windward. The lights on the A. Parkin, b Dawson steamlaunch Falcon had been visible for some time, and Ariel, catching a draught of wind down the A. G. Stokes, b Danson bay, was sailed full for them, and the steam whistle of the Belle and three cheers from those on board announced her the winner of the Douglas A. P. MacEven, c Troubridge, b Challenge Cup as she crossed the line at 12h. 18m. 32s. Naomi, close behind, passed at 12h. 20m. 48s. Kathleen rounded the Macac flagboat at 8h. 18m. and did not arrive in Castle Peak Bay until 5h. 27m. It appears that some of her Chinese crew misbehaved themselves the previous night, and were insubordinate during the race, refusing to carry out the sailing master's orders, and her position in the race was in a great measure owing to this unfortunate circumstance. We understand that Mr. Ray promptly dismissed the leader of the mutineers on the arrival of the yacht in Hongkong. It is very annoying to an owner who spares no expanse or trouble in getting his vessel in proper trim for such a race to have the man who above all others should set a good example to the crew failing in his duty at the very time when he good pay all the year round, and during the the bowling of the Firsts being too much for mittee do not regard the City Holl as an institutory Commander the Hon. Foley Vereker, arrived cents make a Mexican, or how to spend them to season they have little or nothing to do except most of them, but Jarrett ran up 43 in good style. Ition with the object of making money, and we do here on the 18th inst. from Amoy, which port she the very best advantage. The King of Burmah having refused to comply to go out for an occasional afternoon's cruise in An old Hongkong hand in the 1st Battalion, with the British ultimatum, hostilities have com- the harbour, and for nearly six months in the Captain Porter, made the score of the day, nearmenced by the bombardment of a fort near the year the boats are laid up dismantled. Under ly compiling a century. frontier and the capture of a Burmese ship-of- these circumstances it becomes very galling to an owner to find his head boy "go back" on him the only time he really wants him to show smartness and steadiness. The fact is, the Chinese crews of yachts in Hongkong have far too easy a time of it, and get a great deal too much

ed in other yachts. To return to the race. There is no doubt that if the wind had held true, and but for the unfortunate accident to Naomi, she would have won easily, but there can equally be no doubt that The Bulgarians have been completely defeated | Ariel sailed wonderfully well, and the way she by the Servians with a heavy loss in killed, held the larger boat after the damage was repaired was surprising. In working up to Castle Peak Bay from Macao Naomi could never get away from her, and Lieutenant Breeks has every reason to be proud of his little craft, as well as to Lord Salisbury's procedure with regard to be congratulated on his careful handling of her throughout the race. It is by no means easy to get the most out of a boat, and with such big Slivnitza with a loss of 3,000 men. Prince Alex- odds against him, he has achieved a most creditander displayed great gallantry. Widin and Ra- able success as a young yachtsman, and we congratulate him on his becoming the proud holder of so handsome and valuable a trophy as the Douglas Challenge Cup.

The match between the Navy and the Cricket R. Mossop (Secretary). Club was opened on the Hongkong Cricket | The SECRETARY read the notice convening Ground on Friday, the 20th inst., about 2.30 p.m. the meeting. by Capt. Pearson and Robinson appearing at the wickets to face Travers and Leach. The pitch was in capital order and both batsmen played carefully and well, but both were dismissed when they had put together 9 apiece. The wickets then fell fast till Dawson and Christian got togother, who by diat of sharp running raised the score by 20, before Dawson ran himself out, by attempting too short a run. Christian increased his score to 23 and then played one of Darby's on to his wickets, and the

innings closed for 82, of which 14 were byes, made by sharp running. .. Leach and Grimble commenced the Club bathowever, was well stamped by De Robeck when he had made 36 (1 for 67), and then the wickets began to fall fast to the dangerous left-handed bowling of Dawson. Leach was stumped for 40,

Dawson obtained 7 wickets for 42 runs, and was well backed up by Plumbe with 3 for 38. The game was resumed on Saturday at 11.30 a.m., and proved to be most interesting, and we languestion, and the exterior plaster has been thorough. have rarely seen such a close and exciting finish. commencement for the Navy's second attempt, the former hitting in quite his old form, while Committee have authorised the lime washing of the the latter in both his first and second innings stained portions of the ceilings in the upper portion played in much better style than we have ever seen him show before on the Hongkong ground, and proved the mainstay of his side. With 28 from Capt. Pearson and 32 from Christian 3 wickets had fallen for 77, when De Robeck came July, 1884, and the 30th June, 1885, was only \$1,369.30 in, and the interest of the remainder of the as against \$3,054 received in the previous year. The innings control in his fine play. No one else Committee found that nuless very low rates were

Leach was not in his usual bowling form and as a large proportion of the amount, received her so doing was shown when Ariel met her on only secured 2 wickets for 38, while Darby and has to be paid away for gas. The whole of Travers obtained much better records with 3 for

Leach and Travers led the way in the hope that

rope stretched too much and the sorely tried | which he ran out to on the leg side, and which

something else must be done. Down came the and Doane and Scanlan then made a capital topsail again, and this time the right thing stand, putting on 22 before the former was diswas done. A wire rope was substituted for missed for 15. Stokes followed and played

that the strain might be taken off the topmast couple of twee in rapid succession, and thes we suppose, but it would no doubt have been with a two and a three from Holwerthy brought cuita, who kindly volunteered to name the specimens | the relief operations of the Committee in July thus have got all out of her that was to be got. The Navy, however, were equal to the occas It was "real jam" for the little Ariel to have sion, and with two added, Dawson caught Hol her big sister crippled at this stage and she worthy capitally in the slips, off a bumping bal

close up astern. The Macao mark-boat was now runs), but he was well backed up by the fielding

The following is the full score:-Capt. Pearson, e Foss, b Losch... 9 b Travers... Travere 5 o Mac Ewon, b Leach... Byes 14, leg byes 2, wides 2... 18 Byes 12, leg byes 3 wides

BOWLING ANALYSIS. Balls. Runs. Maidens. Wickets. Scaplan Prest Innings. BECOND INNINGS. 40 e Manning, b Dawson

W. H. F. Darby, a Christian, b c de Robeck, b Plumbe 26 Bres 8, wides 2.....

IST BATTALION THE BUFFS v. 2ND BATTALION This highly interesting match came off at

talion did not sustain their reputation very well, The following is the score :--

2no BATTALION. Captuin D. F. Lewis, b Pemberton Mr. E. C. Parcy, b Pomberton

Mr. N. H. Vertue, c sub,, b Hughes

Mr. Æ. M. Gage, c and b Hughes justice dealt out by Mr. Bay in this case will have a good effect on the head boatmen employ-Mr. E. T. Buttanshaw, run put Leg bye I, wides 2 1ST BATTALION. Mr. A. J. Stuart, b Jarrett Mr. R. E. Philips, c Dattzlish, b D'Acth ... Captain G. A. Porter, c Lewis, b Lloyd. Caplain J. Hughes, c Jarrett, b D'Aeth

Mr. F. D. Annesley, c Pattenson, b Jarrett Mr. L. G. Balca Capt. H. Blackburn Byes I , leg byes 2, wide 1

The annual meeting of the shareholders in and subscribers to the City Hall was held in the Library on Saturday morning, the 21st inst. There were present:-Hon. F. D. Sassoon (Chairman), Messrs, H. Hoppius, W. H. I Darby, A. P. MacEwen, H. L. Dalrymple THE NAVY v. THE HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB. (Committee), N. J. Ede, G. Sharp, and W. H

HONGKONG CITY HALL.

The following is the The last annual meeting was held on the 19th day

COMMITTEE With much regret the Committee have to record the death since the last annual meeting of one of their oldest members, Mr. Ruttonice. Mr. Ruttonice while on the Committee always took an active interest in everything connected with the City Hall, and the loss of his advice and assistance will be much felt by the

Mr. H. N. Mody has been offered and has accepted the sent vacated by the death, of Mr. Ruttonjee, and the Committee now consists of The Hon. W. Keswick (Chairman), The Hon. F. D. Sassoon, Messrs. W. H. ting, and, as on last Friday, made a capital stand Forbes, H. Hoppins, W. H. F. Darby, A. P. MacEwen, and hit about freely from the first. Grimble, H. L. Dalrymple, and H. N. Mody.

The architects' report may be considered satisfactory, though the Committee have been obliged to expond about \$190 in repairs necessitated by damage done to the woodwork by white ants. It appears and no one else making a stand, the innings closed | quite impossible to wholly prevent the inroads of these insects, but of late years a strict watch has succeeded in preventing any very extensive damage being done. As the exterior of the building has not been colour-washed since 1880 the Committee have ly repaired and the outside of the building colour-Captain Pearson and Christian made a capital | washed throughout. The heavy rains have, as usual, necessitated frequent repairs to the roof, but the latter is now believed to be in good condition and the

The earnings from this source have been less during the past twelve months than 1883-1884. The actual rent received for the Theatre between the 1st the drawing rooms and the walls of the stage have been lime-washed, and the velveteen round the The Club had now to make 118 to win, and chitects' suggestion as to the removal of the latrice nected with the main drain. The Choral Society gave one concort hat year but

The number of readers during the last year was 2,209 as against 1,905 in 1883-1884. During the year a few volumes have been presented, including a copy of the Queen's Book called "More leaves from the Journal of a life in the Highlands." The Committee regret that they have not received copies of works pub. lished in the East, and readers have therefore had to be dependent on the copies of the China Review. Missionary Journal and other periodical works lent by the Secretary. The question of purchasing the back files They found, however, that the cost would be so con-siderable that they did not consider it advisable to Committee hope to be able to make arrangements by which the home papers may be sent to the City Hall proprietors of the local newspapers have continued to upply their papers to the Library free during the last year. They are, however, not laid on the tables on the day of publication, as this would probably inter. fere with their circulation, which, in such a small community as this, is, of course, limited. The proprietors of the local papers, namely, the Daily Press, the China Mail the Hongkong Telegraph and the Government Carette, have again to be thanked tope stretched too much and the sorely tried | which he ran out to on the leg side, and which | for supplying copies of their respective journals to be | topest so buckled and bent that it was evident broke back and hit him in the stomach (7 for 75), kept on file in the Library.

This part of the City Hall may be said to be in a natisfactory, state when it is remembered what difficult.

During the last year the reptile collection, which is a fairly bytensive one for a place like Hongkong, has been put into order, thanks chiefly to Dr. Anderson, the well-known Director of the Indian Museum at Oalcolour-washed in December last and several additions to the exhibits have been made. Two large Chinese onintings done by a Chinese artist (a Priest from 82 Chuan) have been presented and are no v conspicuous objects in the Museum, they being considered a great attraction by the Chinese visitors. A small live cro-.codile from Bangkok has been given to the Museum by Captain Ipland. Four specimens of the Chinese albatrous have been added to the collection, as well as a large nython cought at Stanley. The visitors during the past twelve months have numbered 114,649, of whom 103,987 were Chinese. These figures are considered by the Committee entisactory, showing as they do that though the Massum has been open for over ten years, the interest in it amongst those who most benefit by exhibitions of this sort, is still unabated. It is hoped that before very long the Committee will have sufficient funds in hand to allow thom to purchase a few of the standard works on Natural History, &c., so that the curator may be able to more correctly classify the objects under his care. Want of room prevents any very large addition to the Museum, but were proper books of reference provided a good deal might be done to increase the value of the collection.

The following is a list of contributors during the last twelve months :- Major Knollys, R.A., Musers. T. Duncan, W. K. Hughes, R. F. Smith, J. M. Guedes, A. McTwine, C. Ford, A. Falconer, T. I. Bowler, W. Staunton, J. S. Brower, J. Orange, H. L. Dennys, Beavin, Cheng Hing, Fook Lee Yune, West, C. Vincent, and H. Ipland. The balance standing to the credit of the City Hall n the Oriental Bank when it suspended payment was

\$2,528.35. Taking this sum into account and assuming that the full amount of it will eventually be paid and allowing for the payment and receipts up to 30th June the Honorary Treasurer had in his hands on that date to the credit of the City Hall \$2,266.50. To this sum should be added subscriptions for 1884-1885 collected since the 30th of June last \$936.00. FROM 30TH JUNE, 1884, TO 30TH JUNE, 1885. o balance standing to the credit of the City Hall in the Oriental Bank on the 2nd of To amount of rent from Theatre, St. Andrew's Hall, Ball Room, and Cricket Club

To amount of rent from Chamber of Commerce To European subscriptions collected bet a cen 30th June, 1881, and 80th June, 1885... To Chinese subscriptions collected between 30th June, 1384, and 30th June, 1885... To Government Grant for 1834

By amount paid for gas

By attendance of Fire Brigade, Museum sundries, Office expenses, &c. ... By insurance promis

revenue from the Theatre, I think, may strike Tung Wah Hospital, examined the wards, and ling in perception to suppose that with the large some of the shareholders and subscribers. This expressed his satisfaction with the good order and efficient Chinese staff of both officers and is due, as stated in the report, to the fact that we that prevailed. deemed it advisable to reduce the charges for the The Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Com- countenance the permanent employment of an use of the Theatre, as the community would pany has been registered in this colony as a com- expensive foreign staff. To do so would be to Singapore on the 5th instant. The 2nd Bat- otherwise have lost the entertainments given by pany limited by shares. some of the travelling companies. Your com- The British composite gun-vessel Rambler, shrewdness; for no man better knows how many October, and on the votes so far as they had all we can to encourage local entertainments left on the 16th instant. by letting the Theatre at as reasonable a rent as possible. As to the Museum, I am pleased to say sages for himself, Miss Agnes Bowen, and Lieut. performed various evolutions in the harbour, and was awaited with impatience. She arrived in that the Chinese continue to take very great in- Bowen to Calcutta by the steamer Japan, Cap- kept up a tremendous firing and finally dischargterest in it. The number of visitors during the tain Gardner, which will leave here on the 16th ed half a dozen torpedoes against three pole rafts immediately circulated that three votes had been year came up to nearly 115,000, as compared with proximo. about 104.000 during the previous twelve months. This, gentlemen, must be considered highly sa. Dock Company's tender to thoroughly repair not touched; but perhaps that was the intention. the amount of \$2,266.60 which stood to our cro- same good condition as she was previous to the high official who was on board one of the men-ofdit on the 30th June last, under the existing cir- collision, has been accepted by the owners, and war, and who was greatly delighted with the imcumstances, is fairly satisfactory. I don't think | that the work is now in hand. I have anything more to say, but if any gentle-

> sure the Committee will-be pleased to give it. | contributions to the Kwangtung Inundation | not a little by beating to quarters about mid-Mr. SHARP-I see the daily papers are not Relief Fund:laid on the table on the day of publication. Mr. Sharr-I venture to suggest whether i might not be as well to put them on the table with their circulation, I should think that that

on the day of publication. As to its interfering was hardly possible.—Newspapers a day old-in any part of the world-perhaps especially in Hongkong-are of very little use. The CHAIRMAN-We have no choice in the matter, it is at the request of the editors. Mr. SHARF-Oh, is that at the request of the

The CHAIRMAN—Yes. Mr. SHARF-It is very good of them to furnish the papers. The CHAIRMAN-I propose that the report and accounts as presented be adopted and passed. Mr. SHARP—I beg to second that.

Carried unanimously. The CHAIRMAN-There is no other business before the meeting. I thank you for your at Mr. Mackwen-I think it is necessary to appoint a committee, is it not?

The Chairman—I don't think it is necessary Mr. MacEwen-But has it not been the rule hitherto to appoint the committee annually. Mr. SHARP—I think so. The CHAIRMAN-No; it was only done once. Mr. EDE-You have to appoint Mr. Mody

have you not? The Chairman—That comes in the report If you adopt the report I suppose you elect Mr Mr. MacEwen—Then the present Committee s looked upon as a përmanent one? The CHAIRMAN—Yes, unless some new mem-

Mr. SHARP—I would be glad to move the reappointment of the present Committee with the the Chairman, and the Managing Committee of rived at Woosing on the 13th instant, on her rities there on the definite choice of the site of the Mr. EDE-If the Committee is a permanent one that would interfere with the principle. The CHAIRMAN—Yes the Committee is a

permanent one. Mr. Hoppius—If we have to elect a Committee there are only two gentlemen present to only the Committee present, and they cannot very well-elect thomselves .--The meeting then terminated.

LOSS OF THE P. & O. S. N. CO.'S STEAMER "INDUS!"

On the 17th instant Mr. McIver, the Superintendent, received the following telegram from the Company's Agent at Singapore:-"Indus has become a total wreck on the Mullativoe Shoul, to the N. E. of Ceylon. - Mails, passengers, and crew all saved." lembo, with the homoward mail. She was a vessel of 3,462 tons and 2,700 effective horsewere unable to give a concert in aid of the City Hall power, built in 1871, and was commanded by Cap. funds in accordance with the arrangement by which | tain W. E. Breeze.

> THE KWANGTUNG INUNDATION RELIEF FUND.

a change of air. He is at present at Macao, and captained by Master Gunner Long, and the R. fraternity. A master and mistress are advertised but the great efforts made in this direction were it is sincerely to be hoped that the change will E. were captained by Quartermaster Sergeant for, and upon the selection made largery depends successful. On the other side the flames leapt restore him to his former good health.

Canton, 18th November, 1885. of the 16th inst. on the subject of further work shortly. Appended are the scores:-

The party consists of Dr. Graves, Mr. Simmons. Mr. Eichler, and Dr. Macdonald, besides a number of Chinese friends, who took part in f forwarded to him. The interior of the Museum was last, and gained experience in rice distribution. Supplies to the value of \$1.200 in food and second hand winter clothing were purchased here and taken by the party. No other forms of relief are considered to be equally desirable or practicable. If on inquiry it is found to be possible by the assistance of the village elders in some of the poorest hamlets to redeem from pawn ploughs and other agricultural implements pledged by persons of good character, arrangements may perhaps be made by which money expended for this purpose can be paid in Canton. The aid now being given is well-timed. In those parts of the two districts which the party will visit the harvest is largely a failure. We are told by foreigners who returned from the West River ten days ago that over a considerable area there is little or no grain yield from the late planted land.

A second party will, it is hoped, be in readiness | cost of the supply here with that in some of the to start for Ko Ming early in next week, and the more important towns in England, and gives a destination of a third party will be decided on statement of the progress of the works. The when the first and second parties return to Can-

the Chinese authorities for steam launches to the estimate of the Surveyor-General of the tow rice boats and soldiers to form a guard. Both steam launches and soldiers were promptly furnished on the application being forwarded through the kind offices of the British Consul. -I am, yours truly,

THOMAS W. PERROE.

HONGKONG.

There is little local news of importance to chronicle. A meeting of the Legislative Council was held on the 18th instant, when H. E. the Governor announced that in consequence of the Government having let the Oplum Farm for a sum exceeding that obtained last year by \$24,000, it had been decided to defer proceeding with the proposed Spirits Ordinance until January next. The unofficial members expressed their satisfac-760.00 tion at this decision, and expressed a hope that the proposed Spirit Farm would not be found necessary. An Ordinance to amend Ordinance \$7,746.51 pleuro-pneumonia in the Colony, passed through that this more liberal use of cement implies of its successive stages, and received the assent of course a larger expenditure under this head. . \$3,264.00 the Governor the same night as The Cuttle Diseases Ordinance. A lengthy report on the Tytam Water works by the Surveyor-General has been published. The Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court were held on the 19th, 20th, 2.266.60 and 21st inst. The Yacht Race for the Douglas Challenge Cup was sailed on the 20th inst., and \$7,746.54 was won by Lieut. Breeks's Ariel. His Excels mulfins who constitute to Fokien portion of the The Japanese papers state that the Doshin lency the Governor dined with the Race Imperial army goes on slowly, but fortunately Kwaisha at Yokohama has received a telegram Stewards at the Club Germania on the 19th inst. surely. The Fuyew too! 1,200 to Hankow a few from Lyons, dated the 4th instant, announcing The CHAIRMAN-Gentlemen, since we last A Cricket match, The Navy v. Hongkong days ago. The Meefoc leaves here to-day for that great activity prevails in the silk market met, I very much regret to say, we have lost by Cricket Club, was played on the 20th and 21st Keelung with a full cargo of poles and other and purchasers are offering an increase of two death the services on the Committee of one of our inst., resulting in a victory for the former by building material. On her return, she is to con-shillings a pound. Another telegram from Lonmost valued citizens, Mr. Ruttunjee, a loss which five runs, after an exciting struggle. The an- vey 1,500 soldiers to Hankow. The whole work don, under date of the 5th instant, says that the is much felt by his colleagues. Mr. H. N. Mody, nual meeting of the shareholders in and sub- of transporting will be finished in two, or at most price of silk is rising and that Shinshu filature. on being invited to fill the vacancy, has consent- scribers to the City Hall was held on the 21st three months; then, as the Viceroy of Fokien will is quoted at from 121 to 13 shillings and ed, subject to your approval. The report which inst., when the report and accounts were passed have no further use for either the Fuyew or the Hachieji at 10 shillings and 9 pence per poundis presented to you is such an exhaustive one and other formal business transacted. On the Meefco, it is more than probable they will be re- Japan Gazette. that it really leaves me little to say. Still, on afternoon of the 21st His Excellency Governor transferred to the C. M. Co. from whom they looking into the accounts, the falling off in the Sir George Bowen paid a farewell visit to the were originally borrowed. They must be want-

His Excellency the Governor has secured pas- here with the Chinese men-of-war in port. They

We learn that the Hongkong and Whampon them were blown to atoms, while the third was fisfactory. In conclusion, I would observe that the steamer Glenfruin, and place her in the | I hear the whole affair was got up to please some We are requested by the Hen. Secretary to A Russian transport from Shanghai arrived here man present wishes further information. I um acknowledge receipt of the following additional yesterday afternoon, and frightened the celestials

Collected in Hongkong by Mr. Sam Kwan-hing \$230.91

Per Dr. Anderson, of Formosa

the charge, and produced a number of certificates line. She is deservedly popular with all classes the next day. to him. He had been 20 years in the service. of the smart passages she has been making lately. The court sentenced him to lose six months' seniority, and to be dismissed from the ship. European constable being charged with stealing turned home in excellent health seemingly. She | veral of whom possessed in goods or money a a sovereign which it was alleged he bought for was taken ill about 3 a.m. and Dr. Underwood capital of several thousand francs. At present 20 cents of two coolies, to whom it was paid was sent for and was promptly beside the sufferer, there is no talk of the construction of railways, in mistake, and who thought it was a bad 20 but the disease was beyond utmost skill, and the canals, or harbour works, nor even of the creacent piece. The constable says the coin was poor weman passed peacefully away at 9 o'clock. Ition of a French administration, the attention not a severeign, and he bought it to add to a Another victim of cholera. She was buried this of the Ministry being exclusively occupied with produced, but that he afterwards discovered it | Warren conducted the service. Much sympathy | mines. to be only an advertising coin for the argosy braces. In the course of the hearing one witness swore the coin had the "devil's head" on it, meaning the counterfeit presentment of Her and to-day quite chilly again. fined 82 for using the expression.

Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria. He was Tung Wah Hospital on Saturday afternoon, the | could desire. - N. C. Daily News Correspondent. | contemporary doubts whether this news is cor-21st instant, accompanied by his sides-de-camp. Lieuts. Breaks and Bowen, the Hon. F. Stewart Acting Colonial Secretary, the Hon. A. Lister, Colonial Treasurer, Mr. J. H. Stewart-Lockhart. was in charge of the Customs at Wenchow, but is quite certain, however, and that is that the Acting Registrar-General, and Mr. N. G. Mitchell recalled to Shanghai during the Franco-Chinese future port will be at Quang-yen or at Hon-gao. Innes. His Excellency and party were received | war, has now returned to his post. in the Reception Hall by Mr. Kwan Hoi Chan, the Hospital. Having partaken of some tea and way to Hamburg with the crews that brought condiments, His-Excellency informed the Com- out two of the ironclads which were built in Haiphong, still in its infancy, will rapidly decay. mittee, through an interpreter, that he was Germany for the Chinese Government shortly going away from Hongkong, but before A curiosity for Shanghai (says the N. going he desired to take farewell of the mem- Daily News), namely, a foreign built omnibus, bers of this Chinese institution. It had always has been landed at Hunt's Wharf. It came out moval of the Government establishments and the been his wish and desire to meet the views of to Hongkong in the Massilid, was brought on agency of the Messageries Maritimes the trade vote for its besides ourselves. Very often there is the leading Chinese in the colony. He would to Shanghai by the Ningpo, and is intended for would also be transferred. It has hitherto been always have pleasant recollections of Hongkong, use at Vladivostock. and would endeavour to forward its interests wherever he might be. After some further con- 14th instant) will regret to hear that news was advantages it possesses otherwise, and the versation His Excellency was shown over the est received this morning of the death of Mr. Joseph Avenir is of opinion the Government is acting tablishment, and made the following entry in Thorne, formerly a partner in the firm of Thorne | wisely in abandoning it. The town is extremely the Visitors' Book :- "I visited this Hospital to- Brothers & Co., of Shanghai, and elder brother unhealthy; enormous sums would have to be day and went over the several wards. I am of Mr. Cornelius Thorne. We regret to have to record the loss of an much pleased with the good order that prevails No less than nine en meers left Shanghai for the result would be unsatisfactory. English mail steamer. After a lengthened im. and which reflects credit on the managers. I Yokohama in the last J. can mail steamer. The Naomi and Ariel flattened in sheets and held made a long stay, and he finally carried his bat other ports without performing in Hongkong. The many years, the Peninsular and Oriental Steam of the latter cannot have been did the proper for 35, and the total score showed 141, extras gross receipts on account of the Theatre cannot have lost one of their ships.

Interpretation of the proper of the proper for 35, and the total score showed 141, extras gross receipts on account of the Theatre cannot have lost one of their ships. munity from serious disaster extending over sincerely desire the prosperity of this charitable majority of them were noted characters who ing occurred a few days since in which what price. had its comic side was very nearly ending in The Courier hears that Mr. E. Christiansen materials necessary for coping with fires has been a tragedy. A house coolie- in European will leave Shanghai next week for Hongkong to ordered for Manila from Paris. employ was troubled with rheumatism, and take command of the steam-tug Heron and bring he went to the Hongkong Dispensary and her up to Shanghai. It will be remembered 7th November was felt with great severity in the

the bottle. The next morning he was in a ter- having expired, she went to Hongkong. She out of the thirty-four districts (information not to a great size. The other servants in the house, purpose of carrying on her old business as "a substantially built houses and 3,544 of cane and after some cogitation, came to the unanimous conclusion that the evil one had been at him during The accompanying letter from Mr. Pearce is the night, and they gave him a wide berth. The the Courier says:--It will be remembered that a in answer to one from Mr. J. H. Stewart-Lock- man said that he did not want to be a long time foreigner described as having blue eyes and light lives, and six other persons are missing. There hart stating that, as on inquiry it had been in getting cured, and he thought that if a table- hair was killed during an attack the French was also considerable destruction of live stock. found that rice and old clothes were cheaper in spoonaful would de thin a certain wount of good made on the Chinese in Formosa. The foreigner Canton than here, arrangements had been made several tablespoonsful would do a proportion- referred to was employed by the Chinese Gothrough the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank to ately more good, and he therefore took a big vernment as a commander. At the termination give Mr. Pearce a credit to the extent of \$8,000. dose. He is still very ill and under medical of the France Chinese difficulties this blue-eyed night of the 7th instant. It broke out in Messra, Out of this amount rice and old clothes are to treatment, and had he not been blessed with a foreigner landed in Shanghai and has been here Hoskyn and Co.'s house, a fine building fronting be bought for the destitute, who are still re- strong constitution he would have had an eternal ever since. A few days back he was again en- on to the calle Real, with the calle Ortiz on the left, ported to exist in large numbers. Including cure of all the diseases that flesh is heir to. He gaged by the Chinese as chief gunnery instruct and on the right a narrow lane separating it from the recent appeal to the public, the fund has found the remedy for worse than the disease. for at Woosung, which post he now holds. The the Customs warehouse. At the back it communiamounted to nearly \$7,000, so that after the Ashcoting match took place on Saturday after Individual is Mr. E. Purse, who has been for years cafed with the house occupied by Mr. Macgibbon, \$6,000 above mentioned have been expended, noon, the 21st inst., on the Stoneoutters Island in the Chinese service. When the attack was the agent for Messrs. McLeod and Co.'s steamers. there will still be a balance in hand of nearly Range between teams of eight each representing made at Formesa he happened to be seen, and The upper portion of the block was occupied by \$1,000, which will be also expended as occasion the Royal Engineers and the Royal Artillery. The the French, it is supposed to scare other Euro- Messrs. Hoskyn and Co. as a residence and by a requires. Mr. Lockhart regrets to have to in- ranges were 200, 300, and 400 yards, seven shots peams from joining the Chinese, circulated the school called the Cologic Peninsular. The whole form us that Mr. Ost, who has done such yeo. at each, regulation target and marking. The report that Mr. Purse was killed. man's work in connection with the Kwangtung light was favourable to shooting, with a moderate | Another important step has been taken to flaines, no adequate means for coping with fires Inundation Fund, has been so unwell that he steady breeze from the right all the afternoon. wards the establishment of a Public School at being in existence at Hollo. It was with great has been ordered by his medical advisors to take The challenge came from the B. A., who were Shanghai, under the auspices of the Masonic difficulty that the Customs warehouse was saved,

My dear Lockhart,—Referring to your letter score: A return match is expected to take place positions who are residents of Shanghai; and ap-

ROTAL ENGINEERS.

YDS. YDS. YDS. Qr.-Master Sergt. Jones. 27 ... 20 Sergeant Skinner Sergt. Major Etherington 23 ... 20 ... 18 Corporal Creekford 22 ... 17 ... 23 Sapper Boss 21 ... 16 ... 21 184 149 145 ROTAL ARTILLERY. 200 300 400 Gunner Carey 21 ... 25 Master Ganner Long 17 ... 16 ... 8 Gunner Hardy 13 ... 10 ... 14

A report by the Hon. J. M. Price, Surveyor,

General on the Taitam Waterworks, was laid

on the table of the Legislative Council on the 18th inst. It reviews the whole previous history of the water supply question, compares the present estimated cost is £166.440. Robert Rawlinson having been asked by should add that request was again made to the Governor to give his opinion as to whether cost of the works at £166.440 was excessive or otherwise as compared with the average cost of

works for water supply to European cities, in reply quotes from a table giving the capacities and cost of water works consisting of impounding reservoirs and conduits in Great Britain, and thus sums up the result of the comparison: tion of 7,749,026 I find that an average supply of 27.64 gallons per head per day has been obtained at an average cost per head of £3 15s. 71d. Taitam costs £1 6s. 7d. It appears therefore that the estimated expenditure of £1 6s. 7d. upon the Taitam works in order to obtain a daily supply per head of 19 gallons is considerably below the average cost, namely, £3 15s. 12d. as obtained from actual experience." Mr. Price mentions, however, that Sir Robert Rawlinson has recommended a more generous use of Portland cement in the construction of the dam than he (Mr. Price) had contemplated, and says

CHINA.

The work of disbanding the regiments of raga- | being sold at the outset."—Japan Mail. engineers at his command, Yang Ta-jen would credit His Excellency with a small share of

which had been placed for the practice. Two of given for Blancabé and 6 for Ternisien. The mature exhibition of his country's naval prowess.

15th to the 22nd ult. The defendant admitted likely to be taken off the Foodhow-Shanghai material was small, and the place was recognized of character, all of them being highly creditable here, and her own officers are not a little proud I regret to have to record the death of one of the most amiable of our, at all times, too small A peculiar case was partly heard before Mr. community. Mrs. Oeltize, with her husband, grants to Tonquia by state vessels, says the last Wodehouse at the Police Court on the 17th inst., a direct on board the Nestor last evening, and re-transport conveyed twenty-five emigrants, secollection of coins he was making, and which he evening in our little cemetery. Mr. Vice-Consul the intended early working of one of the coal is felt for the bereaved husband. The weather has been very fitful lately. Saturday was very cold and wet, yesterday July heat,

The crops are nearly all in, and great satisfac- place in Ha-long Bay, called Hon-gao, as the tion is expressed at their excellence. The general site of the dockyard which is to be established. H. E. the Governor paids farewell visit to the health both native and foreign is all that one A harbour of refuge is also to be formed. Our

SHANGHAI.

The steamer Huntington, from Tientsin, ar. Rieunier was at Hanoi to confer with the autho-

Many of our readers (says the Courier of the

A case illustrating Chinese modes of reason- engineers were unprocurable in Shanghai at any

The Indus was bound from Calcutta to Cos purchased a bottle of patent medicine for his that the Heron was formerly engaged as a tag province of Camarines Sur, a province to the complaint. The label set out in Chinese that boat on the Huangpoo, but was chartered at South-east of Manila, where the damage done in a tablespoonful was to be taken three times a the commencement of the Franco-Chinese war to much greater than was at first supposed at Manila. day, but the coolie, before going to bed for the go South to be engaged in the passenger trade A correspondent has furnished the Comercio with night, swallowed more than half the contents of at Haiphong. At the end of the war, her charter details from which it appears that in nineteen rible state, his head and body being swollen up goes up to Shanghai, the Courier hears, for the having been received from the other fifteen) 828 tug for hire." Under the heading "A dead man alive again"

of points in hand, their captain making a capital | there are already two or three applicants for the plications have also been sent in from Hongkong. The appointments are not to be made till the middle of December, so that there is plenty of time for other candidates to appear from the outports, Japan, and elsewhere. The School Council have a most important duty to discharge, and they will utterly fail in the confidence placed in them if they allow private feelings, or fraternal attachments, to stand in the way of the appointments of the most highly qualified and well-trained applicants to the positions of Master and Mistress of their School.

By the arrival of the American barque Mon-

dota at Shanghai on the 13th instant the Courier learns that a British ship, supposed to be named either the Arbula or Ambula, which left Burrard's Inlet, B.C. about fifteen days previous to the Mendota, with a full cargo of timber for Shanghai, was not sighted on the passage. She is supposed to be a faster sailer than the Mendota, and in the mate's opinion the Ambula must be either lost or dismasted. The Courier says: — The Mendotais another specimen of the way vessels are overladen now-a days. Her deck is piled up with planks above the bulwarks. and it would be a difficult task to stand on the planks during calm weather, for they are very irregularly placed one on the other, and the least lurch of the vessel might upset a man in the water. What would it be in rough weather? The mate of the Mendota himself acknowledged that a strong wind or a typhoon would wash the planks away and perhaps the houses with them. We might bring to our readers' recollection the Earl of Elgin case. Her decks were piled up with timber in the same way as the Mendota; she was bound from Burrard's Inlet to Shanghai. and was caught in a typhoon south of the Saddles and came into port with her seams open and a complete wreck, totally waterloaged, the cause of her seams opening being the pressure of the heavy weight she carried on deck. Had her -"Of the existing works of 32 towns in Eng. cargo consisted of anything but wood the Earl land and Scotland with a combined popula- of Elgin, or what was left of her, would never

JAPAN.

YOKOHAMA. The Japanese papers state that the Kenshinmaru, a sailing ship belonging to the Nippon Yusen Kaisha left Sakade, Sanuki, for Shinagawa on the 14th ultime, but that nothing has been heard of her since. The Kenshinmaru had 2,500 koku of salt on board and was

insured in the Tokyo Marine Insurance Company.-Japan Gazette. A correspondent of the Chinoai Dempo writes that "Mr. Yoshihara, President of the Nippon Ginko, who went to London with the Englishman, Mr. Watson, to place specie bonds upon the market there, has communicated to the Government that his mission will in all probability prove successful. The complication between Great Britain and Russin prevented the bonds

COCHIN-CHINA

SAIGON. The last ballot in the recent election of a Deputy for Coohin-China caused great excitement at Saigon. The ballot took place on the 25th come in being counted it was found that M. Ternisien had 410 and M. Blancsubé 409, but Sunday, November 1st, was quite a gala day there were still nine votes to come in from Pulo Condore, and the arrival of the steamer the siternoon of the 26th, and a statement was official announcement, however, dissipated the triumphant feelings of the latter's friends, Blancsube receiving 7 votes and Ternisien 2.

CAMBODIA A correspondent at Phom-penh, writing to the Saigennais, says the state of Cambodia is still anything but satisfactory, and that an attack by the robels on Phom-penh is anticipated. On the night of the 19th October the rebels completely The Nanzing arrived here on Saturday bring. I destroyed the entrepôt at Rekakong and burnt ing quite a full complement of foreign passengers. five or six Annamite huts. They are receiving 11.86 amongst whom were Mr. and Mrs. Whitney, so supplies, and several consignments of powder long and favourably known here in connection which escaped the vigilance of the Customs \$2,072.51 with the American Mission, and who have been have reached them. The military authorities Acourt martial was held on board H.M.S. Victor | home for some time on a well earned heliday. are constructing block houses, doubtless to pro Emanuelon Monday, the 16th inst., to investigate His Excellency the Deputy Commissioner of teet the town from attack. From the official a charge of drunkenness against Edmund Bryde, the Arsenal leaves to-morrow per Nanzing, en account of the attack on the entrepôt it appears boatswain of H.M. S. Daring, and of being in. Foute to Tientsin, whither he goes to spend the there were only two natives in charge, and one capacitated from duty from that cause from the winter. I am sorry to hear that the Nanzing is of these was absent. The loss of Government

TONQUIN.

The Bulletin de renscionements Colonique. speaking of the free passages granted to emi-L'Avenir du Tenkin, in au article dated Hanci

10th November, says that all the French papers received by the previous mail stated that the Tonquin hydrographic commission had chosen a rect as it had heard the port of Quang-yen mentioned in the same connection during the few The Daily News says :- Count d'Arnoux, who days previous to the time of writing. One thing Haiphong is out of the running. Admiral naval establishment. The Avenir fears that Some of the residents of Haiphong say the trade will nover leave the place, but our contemporary considers this is a mistake, and that with the recarried on at Haiphong simply because that was the only port available, not because of any special spent to effect any improvement, and even then

THE PHILIPPINES

MANILA. A complete supply of fire engines and other

The typhoon which crossed over Luzon on the nipa were destroyed, as well as 13 charches, 10 convents, 3 police barracks, 19 court houses, and 19 schools. Nine men and three women lost their

ILOILO.

A destructive fire occurred at Hoile on the building was in a very short time a mass of Jones. The Engineers won with a good balance the success of the undertaking. We hear that across Ortinatroet and Messre, Kor and O.'s

•		FOR SALE.	VESS	ELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.		VESSALS ON THE BIRT	THE AMERICAN MATE.
. 1	the corner of the street, and the fire ran along all the other houses in the same	FOR SALE.	DESTINATION VESSEL'S	NAME CAPTAIN. AT FOR FRE		ANDW STIES DORT SAID MALTA	The Pacific Mail steamer City
	Bank and the houses of Messra. Bischoff and Boonsch, and at the bask, that of Mr. Oppen.	A NEW COTTAGE PIANO with METAL -				ITRRAT, TAR. MARSELLIBES, BELLVIS, 1	Francisco on the 31st October, and
	There was time to save all the books and papers and some of the furniture. The loss is estimated at \$200,000, all of which is covered by insurance.	Apply to Care of this Paper. Hongkong, 17th November, 1885. [2044]	ONDON, So., VIA SUEZ CANAL Ancons (str. ONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL Achilles (str.	Anderson Hongkong Butterner	ld & Swire On Zoth mast.	ALSO, CATCHTTA AND	THE INDIAN MAIL
	except the effects of the Colegio Peninsular. The pupils of this establishment had only time to escape, with the clothes they had on, as	FOR BALE.	ONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL Gleneagles	(str.) Gasson Hongkong Jardine, Croix Hongkong Carlowitz	Matheson & Co On or about 27th inst. Quick despatch.	RILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PEBSIAN	THE OUR PROCESSES.
`	the fire broke out in a room underneath the establishment and there was no time to save	MACHINERY	TAVRE AND HAMBURG Margaerite	Henno Hongkong Arnhold.	Karberg & Co Quick despatch.	BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON.	STEAMERS EXPECTE The steamer Independent left S
	anything: The principal insurance offices affected are the Royal, \$80,000; the Phonix, \$50,000; and the Guardian \$30,000. In the Bank there	BY B	ARSEILLES VIA SAIGON, &c. Peiho (str.)	(str.) Guirand Hongkong O. Bach	On 30th inst., at Noon. Quick despatch.	THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "ANCONA," Capt. R. G. Murray, with Her	the 24th instant.
•	were \$250,000 in silver stored in the safe in the strong room, which was uninjured. The fire did not burn itself out until the next hight.	This Machinery is quite new, and will be sold a bargain.	VEW YORK VEW YORK SEW YORK South Ame	C. H. Allyn Hongkong Pustan & Prican Frank Fowle Hongkong Russell	& Co. Quick despatch. Quick despatch.	Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON via BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the 24th November,	the 15th, and is due here on or abo
	Messrs. Hoskyn and Co., says the Poivenir de Bisayas, intend ordering by telegram from the United States the material for an iron house of	REMEDIOS & Co.	VICTORIA. B.C. SAN FRANCISCO VIA Y'HAMA City of Ric	(str.) 0. & O. P. M. S	S. Co. On 9th Dec., at 3 P.M.	at Four P.M. Cargo will be received on board until	nore on the night of the 16th, and i
	elegant and commediens design.	FOR SALE.	Tannadice	(str.) Minott Hongkong Russell Russell Hongkong Gibb, I	& Co On 2nd Dec., at 4 P.M.	TEN A.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until Ten A.M., on the day of sailing.	or about the 24th instant. The Glen Line steamer Glenlyon
:	PRICHORD COTTAGE PIANOS, by Roseneranz. IRON FRAME and TUNING PLATE CAST	TEIDGLECK & Co-	BOMBAY VIA STRATTS Kashgar (VOKOHAMA AND HIOGO Glenlyon (str.) Sommers Hongkong Jardine Hongkong Brandae	Matheson & Co On or about 26th inst o & Co On 26th inst., at 5 P.M.	shipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without	I now on the 17th, and may be daily
	Unrivalled for brilliancy and sweetness of tone.	MONOPOLE RED SEAL (medium dry).	MANILA VIA AMOY Don Juan Diamante SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW Names (st.	(str.) McCaslin Hongkong Russell Bourges	Tomorrow, Daylight.	the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR (COMPANY)	pore on the 18th, and may be looked
	Apply to Mr. A. VITA, 2, Old Bailey.	Do. Gold Foil "Day" (extra dry).				ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY	grove on the 22nd and may bo
	Hongkong, 11th November, 1885. 1772	CARLOWITZ & Co., Sole Agents for	TO BE LET.	INTIMATIONS.	VESSELS ON THE BERTH.	Shippers are particularly requested to not	on or about the 29th instant.
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	BICYCLES AND TRICYCLES. AMERICAN BILLIARD& POOL TABLES AMERICAN CARRIAGES & BUGGIES.	time CHEAP CIGARSF: If so, ask for NUEVO HABANOS; Cases	Apply to BIRD & PALMER.	Showing the Day of Week, Day of Month or and corresponding Day of Chinese Moon in	about the 27th instant. This Steamer has excellent Accommodation Passengers and carries a Doctor and	Hongkong, 12th November, 1885.	at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, a without any other writing who had been store General. This should
	BORAX, REFINED & POWDERED. ELECTRIC FAMILY SOAP. A. HINZ,	of 500 Cigars at SIX DOLLARS each at E. CASSUMBHOY,		marallal columns in MLACK and INEO.	tewardoss. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.	SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGER	the first time cause of complaint mistake to let such matters page 1.8 giving trouble, a course which g
	Hongkong, 8th September, 1885. [1632]	TO A TO CL A T N	TO LET.	invented. In neat imitation Morrocco Case, with Calendar for 1886 on Back.	Hongkong, 19th November, 1885. [2013	TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES	more trouble in the end.
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